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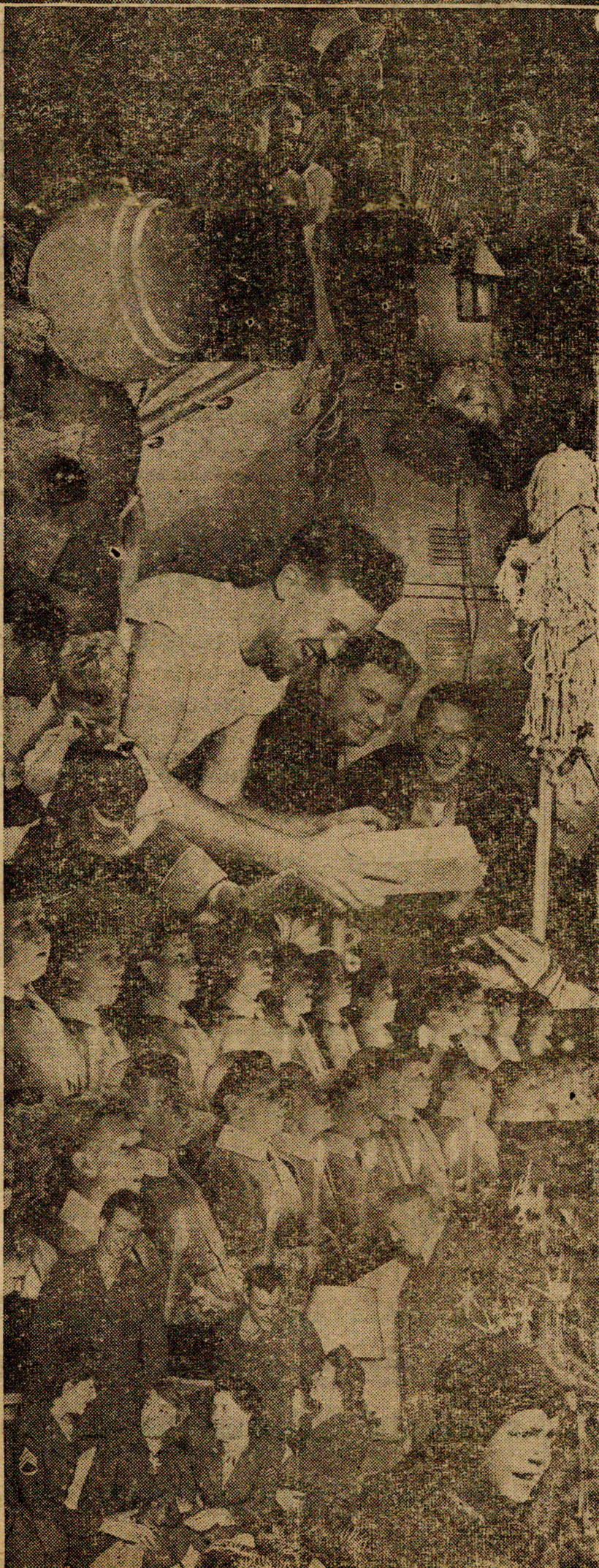
MOKENA, WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS Friday December 21, 1945

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Holiday Greetings

1945



Christmas

Humanity's hope and civilization's cry for a brave, new world is perennially strengthened by the light that shines from the eyes of children as they stand in the presence of their Christmas idol—Santa Claus.

The wonder of these faces unfolds mankind's greatest lessons.

For here is faith resplendent in its simplicity.

Here is unselfishness, unadorned.

Here is devotion, unalterable.

Here is goodness, in its glory.

The magic of this light shines outward from the world of childhood onto the pathways of our adult world—pathways sometimes darkened.

This light can pierce that darkness.



And again this year, these eyes will shine, these faces glow.

Let these rays be cast on us and warm us. Warm our hearts. Kindle the spark. Light the way.

For great things are all cradled in the land of simplicity and faith—the land of a childish face.

And peace in the world is the great thing in our hearts this Christmas.

And lasting peace must spring from those basic truths that generate this light that shines in the eyes of children.

That those who lead the world out of a period of darkness will gaze this Yuletide into the faces of little children—and gazing catch the spark—is the Christmas wish and message of this newspaper.



FRANKFORT

Mrs. Kathryn Swinford

Phone Frankfort 2564

The PTA held their Christmas party for the children last Wednesday evening. There were 44 present at a potluck supper, followed by the business meeting. Bingo was the diversion of the evening, every child receiving a prize. There will be no card party in December but they will be resumed in January.

Fifty guests were present when the St. Peter's Women's Guild held their annual Christmas party Thursday beginning with a potluck dinner at 12:30. Mrs. Ed Vollrath presided at the business meeting and Mrs. Ella Oetter led the devotions.

Rev. Bizer installed the following officers: Elected officers: Pres., Mrs. Ed Vollrath, Treasurer, Mrs. Albert Krusemark Jr. Appointed chairman: Thank Offering, Mrs. Burton Breidert, Spiritual Life, Mrs. Harold Ebert, Christian Citizenship, Mrs. Leo Petersen. Membership, Mrs. Alvin Bruggeman, Stewardship, Mrs. Will Wischover, Social Service, Mrs. Wallace Weichbrodt, Education, Mrs. Erich Bizer, Missionary, Mrs. Glenn Folkers, Mrs. Edith Koerner and Mrs. Lottie Folkers remained in office for another year. The Thank Offering amounted to \$172.54. Games were played and an exchange of gifts was enjoyed by all.

The Woman's Club met in the Village hall Friday night for a Christmas party. They had a potluck supper and gift exchange. Mrs. Henry Breidert and Mrs. Conrad Oetter were in charge of the program. Mrs. Clark Bennett, Mrs. Bertha Neiland, Mrs. Conrad Oetter and Mrs. L. Weathersbee were hostesses. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Winters with Mrs. Clark Bennett in charge of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Breidert entertained their card club Saturday night prizes going to Mrs. Lester Holl, and Mr. Orville Schroeder. They had a Christmas gift exchange and refreshments were served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scheer.

The Christmas program at St. Peter's Evangelical church will begin at 7:30 pm. Christmas eve. The Christmas morning service will begin at 10:30 am.

The Methodist church will have their Christmas program Sunday night December 23rd. The Christmas program at the Green Garden Methodist church will be on Christmas eve.

Sunday evening at 7:30 the St. Peter's Youth Fellowship of Frankfort will go caroling after which they will have a Christmas party and gift exchange in the church basement.

Lambert Vollrath is reported to be on his way home from the Pacific. He was stationed at Nagasaki.

A sale of household furnishings was held at the late Geo. Geuther Sr. home Saturday.

Mrs. Adella Lorenzen is visiting at the home of her daughter Mrs. Stanley Warning.

Mrs. Geo. Busse is ill in her home with the flu.

Kenneth Oetter is expected home from the Pacific theatre.

Eugene Rafson EM2-c and family have returned from New York. He is now awaiting his discharge at the armory in Chicago.

The Servais met Wednesday at the their Christmas party. They spent the afternoon wrapping gifts for hospitalized veterans and in making novelty head pins. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments served.

The grade school children will give their Christmas program Friday evening Dec. 21st. The public is invited to attend.

Howard Bell is in the hospital after having his left hand crushed in a corn picker. The first joint of two fore fingers were amputated.

Philip Triem of Monee, father of Elmer and Philip Triem Jr. was buried Tuesday.

Mrs. Herbert Folkers accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lambrecht to see the "Messiah" in Chicago Heights Sunday night. Mr. Lambrecht directed the presentation.

Captain Robert Mitchell, wife and baby are making their home with his mother Mrs. Blanche Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frey are the parents of a 7 pound baby boy, Monday, who was named Lawrence George. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

HOMER

Elizabeth B. Anderson, Lockport, R. 1

Phone 849R Lockport

Mrs. Emma Hoffman of Seattle, Washington spent several days last week with her cousin, Mrs. Emma West.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Kasper of Phoenix, Arizona who are spending several weeks with relatives here, were dinner guests of Mrs. Ira Anderson on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Hohenshell, teacher of Hadley school, who has been ill in her home in Joliet, returned to her school duties last Tuesday.

Walter Boyce is ill in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Boyce.

Memorial service for Elwood Dale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dale, were held in the Marley Community church Sunday afternoon. Elwood was among the casualties, when the S.S. Indianapolis was sunk, very near the close of the war in the Pacific area.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Kasper and Mr. and Mrs. Wm Kasper, Jr., visited the Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago, Sunday afternoon.

The Young People's group met in the home of Jerome Paddock Sunday evening. They are preparing a short play as their contribution to the Christmas celebration. They are also in charge of church decorations for Christmas eve. Wednesday evening there was a choir rehearsal at the Clarence Rowley home.

The date of the annual business meeting and Christmas party of the Ladies Missionary Society has been changed from the regular day to Thursday, Dec. 20th. Mrs. Emma West and Mrs. Charles Jensen are the hostesses.

Frank Spiecker who has been a patient in Silver Cross hospital, is slowly recovering at his home.

Mrs. Jacob McGuire had as her guests last week, her sister, Mrs. Hattie Marsh and Mrs. Marion Thomas of Rockport, Ind., and a niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Tobias of Long Beach, Calif.

S. Ic Francis Miller is spending a short Christmas furlough with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ott will entertain their children and grandchildren at Christmas dinner. The guest list will include, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartman, Jr. and family of Blue Island.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ingersoll will spend Christmas with their son Benjamin in Lockport.

Mr. Alvin Eberhardt is recovering from several days illness in his home.

Robert Willard Finley, the infant son of Rev. and Mrs. Harold Finley has sufficiently improved in health to be removed from the hospital where he has been for many weeks, to the home of his parents in Angola, Ind.

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1945 SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS 1945

OUR FOREFATHERS

celebrated Christmas sometimes under the greatest of difficulties, to say nothing of danger. Today, in warm, lighted homes we welcome the arrival of Yuletide, without thought of those early hardships. It might make our Christmas a little happier, our hearts a little more thankful, to take thought of these things.

In the reverent spirit of this glorious season we now wish each and every one of you the deep joys which only Christmas can bring.

GEORGE BRANDAU

DISTRICT MANAGER Joliet Ill.

Crows Hybrid Corn Co.

When Will

Home Appliances

Be Available

To You?

Here are the answers—based on the most recent information we have received.

As you probably know, most appliance manufacturers have encountered problems in converting from war to peace production. It's not easy, for example, to convert from the production of radar devices to electric irons.

Fortunately, however, peacetime planning went ahead during the war. Experimentation and development work went ahead. And war-learned lessons in production and engineering were incorporated in appliance manufacturing plans. So today, with plans completed, your much improved home appliances are actually in production.

The information below is based on news given us by manufacturers. But we cannot, of course, guarantee that all home appliances will be available when planned. Material shortages or unforeseen factors may delay deliveries.

Ranges. Some range models—in limited quantities—are available at many neighborhood dealers now. Some may even be installed in time to cook that big Christmas dinner. Quantities should come in after the first of the year.

Refrigerators. The same situation that prevails for ranges holds true in regard to refrigerators.

Home Freezing Units may not be widely available before early Spring. Radical changes and improvements in design and construction have made much new manufacturing equipment necessary. But, if you're fortunate, you may be able to secure a Home Freezing Unit shortly after the first of the year.

Vacuum Cleaners are on the way to neighborhood dealers right now. And while some dealers may not have them available for immediate delivery, they should be a bit more plentiful within the next month.

Irons are available in limited quantities now. Automatic ironers will probably be available by the first of the year.

Home Heating Units—some heating contractors have limited supplies now; should be generally available by late Spring.

Washing Machines, in some cases, are now on display. First deliveries should be made by December.

Smaller Appliances—waffle irons, toasters, clocks, etc., may be available by the last of this year—in sufficient quantities to make it possible for them to be given as thoughtful Christmas gifts.

Since many factors, as noted above, may delay deliveries it is suggested that you stop in at your Public Service Store from time to time for the latest information on appliances. Public Service and dealers will always welcome your visit, and will answer your questions to the best of their ability.

IS THE WAR OVER?

It isn't for the wounded and maimed of our country's armed forces. They must still receive the best of care—and that takes money. So your country asks that you buy Victory Bonds. Remember, you help your country, the men who served their country, and yourself, when you make the sound investment of a Victory Bond Purchase.

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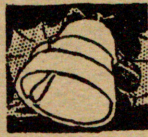
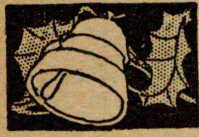
Two colored soldiers were on a transport going overseas.

"Dat's de mos' water I've eber seen

in all my life", remarked one.

"Yo' ain't seen nothin' yet, brudder," answered his companion, "dat is jus'

the top ob it." Appleland News.



Season's Greeting

May every Christmas be yours to
bring you enduring
Peace and Joy

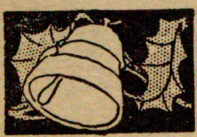


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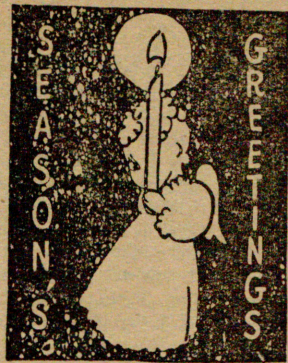
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As for ourselves, we desire to express our appreciation for your loyalty to us in 1945, and wish you a Merry Christmas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roland Fitzer and children will go to Yorkville to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Fitzer and daughter Barbara will be guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Harris in Manhattan.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Francis and Chuck will go to Wilmington as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Everett Shipley and Miss Sue Shipley, at the Bitterman family gathering. Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Francis of Champaign will also be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold D. Friant will entertain at a family gathering in their home when they will have their sons home from service for the first time in 5 years. Guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Friant, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Friant, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Friant, Carl Friant, David, Pearl and Irene Friant.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gilgen and family will entertain her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Manheim, and her brothers Casper and Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gorrell and children will go to Benton Harbor, Mich. to spend the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Gougar will entertain at a family gathering in their home: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hogue and son, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Fields and children, Miss Eva Gaugier, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fields of Joliet and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen of Manhattan, and Joseph Gougar.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Gougar, Sr. will entertain in their home at a family gathering: Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Gougar Jr., Mrs. Charlotte Gougar, Mrs. Edna Mason and Emil Seivert of Arpin, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gould and children of Joliet, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seivert and Donald Seivert will be guests of the Fred Goulds.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin G. Greenman will go to Chicago to attend a family gathering in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greenman.

Mrs. Alma Gullickson will entertain in her home for dinner, her mother, Mrs. Caroline Fitzer, her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gullickson, and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gullickson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hoefer and family will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Erickson at a family gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hohenstein will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Walter



Christmas is always a welcome event with us, for two reasons:

First, because we enjoy the spirit of friendliness that is all-prevailing; second, because it affords an appropriate opportunity of expressing our sincere appreciation for your valued patronage.

It has, indeed, been a pleasure to serve you, and in sending you our best wishes for a Merry Christmas we do so, with the hope that the Christmas season of 1945 will transcend all of its predecessors in real happiness for you.

Otto Bormet

New Lenox, Illinois



The prevailing spirit of good will embraces us all during this joyous season. We, too, want to extend to you personally our hearty good wishes for an exceptionally

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Jorgensen Sr., daughter Mary and son Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jorgensen Jr. of Chicago, Mrs. Mary Rick and Mr. Christ Hohenstein.

Dr. Janette and Mr. Wells Holt will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith at 711 John St., Joliet on Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Morris, Miss Bess and Leigh Jones will entertain Miss Edith Applegate of Hobart, Ind., and Miss Vera May of Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kohlhausen will have a family gathering in their home The Alvin Kohlhausens of Bloomington and the Melvin Kohlhausens of Rockford will arrive if the weather permits.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kost will go to Chicago for a family gathering

Mr. and Mrs. G. Fred Krog and son will entertain the missus Erna and Florence Ninneman, Fred, Richard and Wm. Ninneman all of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krohn Jr. will attend a family party in Manhattan at the home of Mrs. Wm. Steinberg, and on Christmas eve a family gathering with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weber and family in Lemont.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Lockhart and family will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Layton Spencer and children, the Harold Lockharts and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lockhart, and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Converse of Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Luther and family will be guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Luther in Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Miller will go to Hammond, Ind. with Mrs. Grace Conroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Miller will entertain at a family gathering in their home: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGrath and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Nickell of Joliet; Mr. and Mrs. John Kinsella of Lockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Miller and son Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ruettiger and daughter Bonnie Jean, Mildred, Mary Jane and Raymond Miller of New Lenox.

Rev. and Mrs. Ralph L. Miller and children will be guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Wright in Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Osmus will entertain at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Osmus of Rockdale, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Osmus and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Osmus and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ruettiger and children will be guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Jake McGuire and family for dinner, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ruettiger and family for supper on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pfeiffer will go to Monee where they will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smit.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Osmus and family will be guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rowlett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Osmus and family will entertain their family at a Christmas Eve gathering in their home. Guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Gus Osmus, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Osmus and laughter and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Osmus and daughters.

Wooded Estates

159th and Wolf Road News
By Mrs. Robert Roth

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colangelo enjoyed a movie at the Oriental theatre in Chicago last Saturday evening. The event was Mrs. Colangelo's birthday. Later they enjoyed a surprise birthday dinner in her honor given at Guey Sam's famed Oriental restaurant. The honored guest received many lovely gifts. Mrs. Colangelo also received a lovely set of table linen from her son S-L-C John from Hawaii.

S-L-C Colangelo is now stationed in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Doctor, after a prolonged visit at the home of Mr. Doctor's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sayers, left Tuesday for their home in Stuttgart, Ark. Mr. Doctor who was quite ill during the first portion of his visit here has greatly improved in health.

The regular officers of Dist. 137 PTA met at the home of Mrs. Helen Sayers. Friday afternoon, after the business meeting, refreshments were served by the hostess.

The program at the Dist. 137 school to be held Friday evening December 21 will begin at 8 pm.

The regular meeting of the Alpine Community club was held at the school house last Thursday evening.

The members plan to have a potluck dinner Thursday evening, Dec. 27 at that time they will also have their Christmas gift exchange.

After the adjournment of the meeting games and refreshments were enjoyed.

Mrs. Gladys Fordonski and Jackie were happily surprised Tuesday morning when her husband arrived home, once more a civilian.

Mrs. Lillian Wikson is happy to have her husband George home again also a civilian.

The Homemakers group of Dist. 137 PTA will meet at the home of Mrs. Robt. Roth Wednesday afternoon December 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sayers and family spent Wednesday evening at the Charles Stewart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Roth and family were dinner guests of Mrs. Mabel Prust and Mrs. Elizabeth Williams Saturday evening.

Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Roth and family were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fagan and daughter Patty and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hess and son Johnny all of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stewart entertained the pinocle club at their home Friday evening. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Amil Doctor, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Felterer, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sayers and family. After the games Mrs. Stewart served a delicious lunch.

FEED GRINDING

D. R. Peterson

Tel. New Lenox 3314

NEW LENOX

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Pfc. Roy Minger arrived home last week to spend a thirty day furlough with his family before going to Fort Sheridan, where he will receive his honorable discharge from the army.

Docking at San Pedro, Cal., Pfc. Minger came in from Mindanao, where he spent the past 20 months. In service for 72 months he arrived home to see his son "Skipper" for the first time. His wife, the former Lois Walsh and son, have made their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Walsh. Pfc. Minger's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Minger of Frankfort, former residents here.

SF 3-c Roy Stellwagon arrived home Saturday December 15 from Great Lakes, where he received his Honorable discharge from the US Navy. Docking in Seattle, Washington November 5, S. F. Stellwagon came in from Guam, where he spent the past 15 months. Overseas for 17 months, and in the service for 27 months and 21 days, he wears the Asiatic Pacific ribbon, American Theatre ribbon and the Citation ribbon. He arrived home in time to spend Christmas with his wife, the former Ramona Fink, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fink, and his small son Neil.

Cpl. George Novak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Novak Sr., Cooper St., Powerhouse Engineer with the US Army, arrived home November 25 with his Honorable discharge from Camp Grant. In service 3 1/2 years, Ex-Cpl. Novak spent 30 months overseas and is wearing one service stripe, 5 overseas bars, European African Middle Eastern Theatre ribbon, Bronze Battle star, Good Conduct Medal, World War 2 Victory Medal.

Frank Alexander was the honored guest Sunday at a 5 o'clock dinner, given at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Crawford in Wilton Center, in celebration of his 51st birthday anniversary. All family members and their families were present at the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Osmus and daughter arrived home Friday from Bancroft, Iowa where they spent three weeks visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fox.

Corwin McClain, who has been ill with the flu has recovered.

In last week's item there was an announcement of the Christmas tea to be given by the Woman's League of Trinity Lutheran church. It stated the tea would be held December 29th, but the correct date of the tea is Thursday afternoon, December 27th, and it will be at the church.

David and Gene Novak have been ill in their home with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Cooper and family entertained last Friday night in their home at a dinner honoring Walter Staneck, who was recently discharged from service.

Mrs. Flossie Corp, accompanied by

Miss Lorraine Kinsley of Joliet, left Tuesday for Champaign, Illinois where they attended the Christmas house party at the Busby Hall at the University of Illinois where they were guests of Miss Ardis Jane Corp and Miss Myrnie Schmidt, students at the University. The girls returned home Wednesday with them to spend the Christmas holidays. They will resume their studies again January 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pugh and family of Hazelcrest visited Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Emiley.

Billy Duerr has been ill in his home. Mrs. Opal Flotow has been ill in her home.

Walter and Casper Manheim have returned from Little Rock, Ark. where they spent a week with their brother Robert Manheim and family.

Dr. Janette and Mr. Wells Holt entertained in their home Thursday evening at a birthday dinner honoring their grand daughter Karen Peterson. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Peterson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson.

Word has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. Will Werner of the engagement of their nephew Milton Borges, to Miss Carolyn Edwards of Rhode Island.

Mrs. Ernest Pfeiffer attended a Christmas party and 6:30 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Will Wischover in Frankfort, for the members of the Amite Sewing club.

St. Jude's Altar Society enjoyed their annual Christmas party and potluck dinner in the church dining room Tuesday evening. The annual gift exchange took place.

Mrs. Geo. Bethell opened her home yesterday to the Homemakers group of the local PTA, for their annual Christmas party.

Cheryl Palmer, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Palmer, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is recovering.

The New Lenox Womens club met Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. A. D. Miller.

Members of the Walter Palmer family have recovered from the flu.

Mrs. Dean Bright has recovered from the flu.

Sgt. Francis Conover returned home Saturday from Tooele, Utah to spend a 90 day furlough here with his wife Mary Ellen, and their parents the Jack Conovers and Louis McCann.

S. Sgt. Conover has re-enlisted in the army for another year.

Miss Nellie Mossburgh has returned to her home in Concordia, Kansas after spending 6 months with Mrs. Mary Ellen Conover and Mr. and Mrs. Louis McCann and family.

Congregation members of the Methodist church gathered in the primary room of the church last Tuesday night for a surprise Reception honoring their new minister Rev. Ralph L. Miller and his family. Mrs. Albert Schmuhl was chairman in charge of the affair and Mrs. Dean Bright had charge of the program. Group singing opened the program. Mrs. Herbert Duerr and Mrs. Carlton Cole sang a duet, Miss Jo Ann

Frick entertained with a solo, Miss Dorothy Rowe entertained with piano selections, and Mrs. Bright read a story, "the Angelus". Refreshments were served, and Howard Ayres, in behalf of the group presented Rev. Miller with a gift of money and Mrs. Miller with a beautiful Mum plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Engel and son will soon move into their newly furnished apartment, being remodeled now over her parents home.

Miss Velva Frantz has been confined to her home with the flu the past week.

Spencer Ewing has been ill in his home.

The Illinois Federation of Sportsman group from New Lenox will hold their December meeting and Christmas party December 20 at Emiley hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ayres received a telegram over the weekend telling them that their son Tech. Sgt. Wm. Ayres landed in Portland, Oregon Friday night. Having been in service for the past three years, Sgt. Ayres has returned from overseas, where he was stationed with the Far East Air Force for two years, and will now receive his honorable discharge.

Eighteen family members attended the annual Christmas party and gathering of the Jensen family held in the Storm and Jensen home Sunday, with Mrs. Grace Jensen and Mrs. Ben Scherpe as hostesses. A 7 course Turkey dinner was served at noon at a long table covered with a white linen cloth, and centered with a Burch Log holding red candles, and surrounded

with pine cones. Bingo was played during the afternoon and each guest received a prize. Pinochle was played and prizes were won by Mrs. Anna Bethel, John Jensen, Mrs. Minnie Osmus and Sydney Batson. Mrs. Osmus also won the traveling prize. Other games were played and prizes were awarded. Supper was served at 6 o'clock and guests who departed later were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scherpe of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevens, of Frankfort; Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen of Joliet, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Osmus, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Batson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bethell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bruns and son, the Irving Jensens and Jean and the Harry Storms.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scherpe of Chicago spent the weekend with the Harry Storm and Irving Jensen families.

Paul Harry was the name given the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bruns at a Christening service held last Sunday night in the home of the baby's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Bruns. Rev. James Manz officiated at the 8 o'clock service. Mrs. Harlowe Jensen and David Bruns were the sponsors. Immediately after the Christening a supper was served at a large table covered with an Ivory linen cloth and centered with a bouquet of yellow baby Mums, with yellow candlelamburn decorating either end. Guests were: the baby's maternal and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Jensen and Miss Jean Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Bruns, David and Stanley; baby's

great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Storms, Mr. and Mrs. John Muff, Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Jensen, Chas. Cooper and Rev. and Mrs. James Manz. Mrs. Francis Miller received a call from her husband MOMM 2-c Miller who arrived over the weekend at Great Lakes Separation center, where he will receive his Honorable discharge from the Navy. He expected to arrive home about the middle of this week.

Christmas Day Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Archibald and family will entertain at a Christmas dinner in their home. Guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Freis and daughter Mary Alice of Symerton, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Banta of Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Attaway and family will enjoy the day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Rajala of Joliet and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Attaway in Elwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Anderson and children will have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Walsh of Saugatuck, Mich., and Miss Beatrice Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ayres and family will entertain Miss Jesse and Miss Hila Ayres of Decatur, Miss Myrtle Prather of Chicago, and Mrs. A. L. Henderson of Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vally will entertain at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Ceward W. Batson and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Melvin Whitaker and son, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vally and children, Mrs. Fannie Hacker and Miss Muriel Hacker. Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Batson will entertain at dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and sons, Miss Jane Vraith, Miss Beverly Rentschler of Joliet, and

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Osmus and son of Frankfort.

Mrs. Mary Bentley and Miss Caroline Bentley will be guests of Mrs. Alta Agate and Ralph Agate in Orland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bethell will entertain at a family gathering in their home with a dinner at noon, a gift exchange and supper at 6 o'clock. Guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bormet and family of Monee, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ullrich and sons of Monee, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bethell and sons.

Mrs. Ida Schoop and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schmuhl of Joliet will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bormet.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bright will entertain in their home at a family gathering: Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Gregory of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hart of Mokena, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brownlee and Mrs. Mary Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Cooper and family will go to Sugar Grove, Ill. to be guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Goodspeed, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goodspeed of Joliet, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Lubway of Melrose Park, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Levitus of Chicago and Mrs. Edith Rosa of Joliet will be guests of the Jack Dronys.

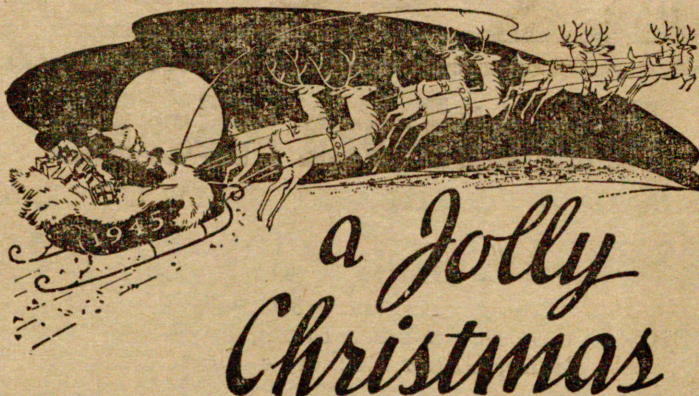
Mr. and Mrs. James Embling will entertain at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Embling and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stults and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Isberg and family of Joliet, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Embling and daughters of New Lenox.



"Let not one heart be sad today,
May every child be glad and gay,
God bless thy children, great and small,
In lowly hut or castle hall,
And may each soul keep festival
At Christmas time."

We wish all of our friends a MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS.

R. Melvin Whitaker, NEW LENOX, ILLINOIS



TO ONE AND ALL

Children looking out of the window at a desolate landscape try to catch a glimpse of a mythical sleigh drawn by mythical reindeer. But there is naught that is mythical about the Spirit of Christmas that transforms the commonplace. That Christmas of 1945 may be for you the happiest Christmas of all is our sincere wish.

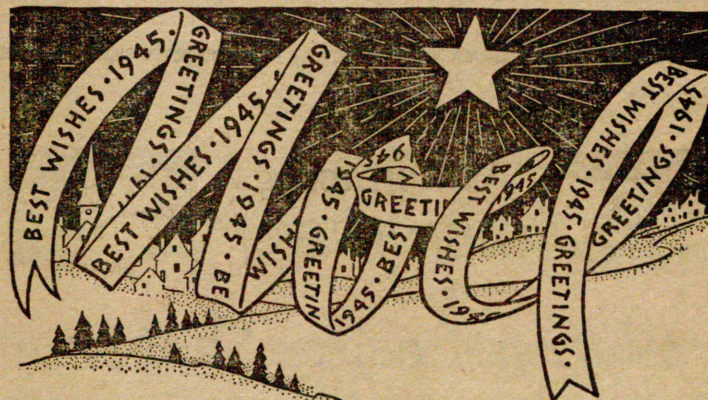
Hutchins Cleaners and Dyers
New Lenox, Illinois



Today's grownups are only yesterday's children who once stood before a fireplace on the Christmas Eves of the past, or who, just before Christmas, were as good as they could be.

The heart of the Christmas season is friendship and eternal youth, and we could not ask for finer friends than ours. It makes us happy to greet all our friends this Christmas season of 1945 with the best of Yuletide wishes.

New Lenox Recreation



Noel! Adeste Fideles! Holy Night!

Hark! the Herald Angels sing. Once again the air is filled with music the music of the spheres. Once again it's Christmas with all that this sacred holiday implies.

We hope that this Christmas of 1945 will be a truly happy Christmas for you and yours.

HERB BRUNS TAVERN
New Lenox, Illinois



A GOOD WAY to keep Christmas well is to bring joy to everyone we can. This, we believe, is the spirit of this community one of the important reasons why living here affords such genuine pleasure.

To you who have stood by us so faithfully during the year 1945 we wish a whole world of happiness pressed into this Christmas season. Merry Christmas to you and to every member of your family.

Ellis and Adeline O'Daniel
New Lenox, Illinois



OUR FOREFATHERS

celebrated Christmas sometimes under the greatest of difficulties, to say nothing of danger. Today, in warm, lighted homes we welcome the arrival of Yuletide, without thought of those early hardships. It might make our Christmas a little happier, our hearts a little more thankful, to take thought of these things.

In the reverent spirit of this glorious season we now wish each and every one of you the deep joys which only Christmas can bring.

RUBE TART TAVERN, New Lenox, Ill.



To each of us the word Christmas summons many happy memories. To some it recalls a ride over the frozen countryside to grandma's, sleighbells tinkling all the while. To others it recalls happy reunions in mirth filled living rooms, gay banquets and glowing Christmas trees. But to all it recalls days of charm and endearment, the happiest days of our lives.

May you know this happiness in all its fullness once again, dear friends, this Christmas season of 1945.

New Lenox State Bank



AS THE SHADOWS fall on the close of another year, we desire to express our deep appreciation of your good will and friendship, and to wish for you during the Christmas season of 1945 all the better things that life affords.

Harvey Frick
New Lenox, Ill.



At Christmastime we feel more sensibly the charm of each other's society, and are drawn more closely together by dependence on each other for enjoyment.

—Washington Irving

May this spirit of Christmas pervade your home this Christmas season.

New Lenox Lbr. Co.

ORLAND PARK

by Mrs. S. S. Knox

IN MEMORIAM

DECEMBER 24, 1943—In Memory of SGT. ARTHUR M. KIMMEL. War hit home two years ago today, When God came and took our Bud away, God whispered so softly and called him by name

So he left, and our home just isn't the same.
God took him and stationed him at the Gate
And there we will meet him, we mustn't be late,
When in future years our eyes have grown dim,
We'll still have our beautiful memories of him.
—Lonesome Mother, Dad, Sis and Brother.

The Public Library will be closed the

week between Christmas and New Years, Thursday, December 27th.

The regular monthly Cub-Pack meeting will be held Friday night, Dec. 21 in the Methodist church at 8 o'clock. All Cubs and their parents are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

The WSCS of the Methodist church will hold their regular Christmas party Thursday, Dec. 27 in the home of Mrs. Harry Anderson on 108th Ave. A pot luck lunch will be served at 1 o'clock. Each member and guest is to bring a 25c gift for the gift exchange.

The regular meeting of Laurel Camp R.N.A., will be held Dec. 27 in the Legion hall at 8 p. m. After the business session a Christmas party will be the entertainment. Each member is to have a 25c gift for the grab bag. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. Olin Ellwood is ill with pneumonia in his home.

Mrs. Geo. Estand is on the sick list. Pvt. LeRoy Cooper, son of Frank Cooper arrived home Dec 12. He received his honorable discharge from Camp Beale, Cal.

Carol Creer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Creer celebrated her 3rd birthday Dec. 17.

Barney Moore, MAM 2-c, arrived home Friday afternoon Dec. 14. He was in the navy and stationed on the Admiralty Islands. He was in service

over two years and spent 18 months overseas. He received his honorable discharge at Great Lakes.

The Red Cross sewing group met for an all day session, Dec. 14 in the home of Mrs. Harry Anderson. After lunch, the group took time off to have a little Christmas party. Games were played, and prizes awarded and a delicious whipped cream cake served.

The regular meeting of the PTA was

held in the school library Dec. 13. After the business session, community singing of Christmas carols was enjoyed. Lois Ballou, Lois Rauch, Margie Reilly, Lillian Knox, Dorothy Hallinan, Jean Kramer, Elaine Tappenbeck and Ethel Reish, under the direction of Mrs. Karl Ekberg, entered the library carrying lighted candles and singing Christmas carols, after which they placed the candles in the holders on the table provided for that purpose.

The table was beautifully decorated with a silvered Christmas tree, trimmed with ornaments and other Christmas displays. After the singing, a game was played, which Mrs. Ekberg had charge of. A delicious salad, crackers and cheese and coffee were served by the hostess committee: Mrs. Bauer, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Doogan, Mrs. Borgo, Mrs. Voss and Mrs. Willard Creer.

The annual pot luck Christmas party of the Orland Park Woman's Club was held Wednesday Dec 12 in the home of Mrs. Harry Phil. After luncheon, the meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Paul Sanders. The Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs are sponsoring a building fund project for the home for boys and girls at Michel, Ill. The Orland Park members are contributing 25c each toward that fund which is called the Trail Rangers. After the meeting, Mrs. H. Adele Cooper, music chairman, read the origin of some of the Christmas carols while Mrs. Jean Lindquist played the piano softly, then the members sang the carols. Winnie Lou Ellwood sang Jolly Old St Nick, and Ellene Weber recited "The Night Before Christmas". Coffee and dessert were served after the program. Members are to go Christmas carolling Friday night Dec. 21. Members are to meet at the Cooper Electric Shop at 7:30.



Christmas Joy 1945

Measured by the span of years, it has been a long, long time since that first Christmas night, but it might have been but yesterday when we measured the spirit of kindness which Christmastime releases.

Christmas means happiness, and Christmas happiness is to be shared. We want to share our 1945 Christmas happiness with you.

Edw. Schmaedeke
Orland Park, Ill.

FOR THE NEWS OF YOUR HOME TOWN READ THIS NEWSPAPER

NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons that Monday, January 7, 1946 is the claim date in the estate of Mary Schoenherr, Deceased, pending in the Probate Court of Will County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

JOHN A. LUHRING,
Administrator.
Krusemark & Krusemark, Attorneys.
November 26, 1945.

Dec. 14, 21, 28, 1945.

NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY

Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, February 4, 1946 is the claim date in the estate of William P. Breidert, Deceased, pending in the Probate Court of Will County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Nannie Breidert, Executor
Krusemark and Krusemark, Attys.
December 11, 1945.

Dec. 14, 21, 28, 1945.

NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY

Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, February 4, 1946, is the claim date in the estate of Caroline Marti, Deceased, pending in the Probate Court of Will County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Immanuel D. Marti, Executor
Krusemark and Krusemark, Attys.
December 11, 1945.

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HI, NEIGHBOR

We and Ours wish You and Yours a heartfelt of Christmas Cheer and a Prosperous Happy New Year!

Geo. Yunker
ORLAND PARK, ILLINOIS



Here 'Tis Christmas Time again and we extend our neighborly best wishes for a Joyous Holiday Season.

J. F. Schmadeke
ORLAND PARK, ILLINOIS

SEASON'S BEST Wishes

Merry Christmas Friends! May you find this one of your Happiest Holiday Seasons and may a Prosperous New Year follow it up.

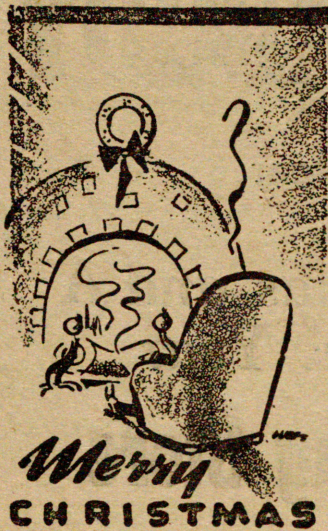


Fred E. Yunker
and Sons
ORLAND PARK, ILLINOIS



It's our real pleasure to wish you one of the Best Holiday Seasons you've ever experienced and may the New Year shower you with all best wishes.

I. N. R. Beatty Lumber Co.
Orland Park, Ill. Walter Mager, Mgr.

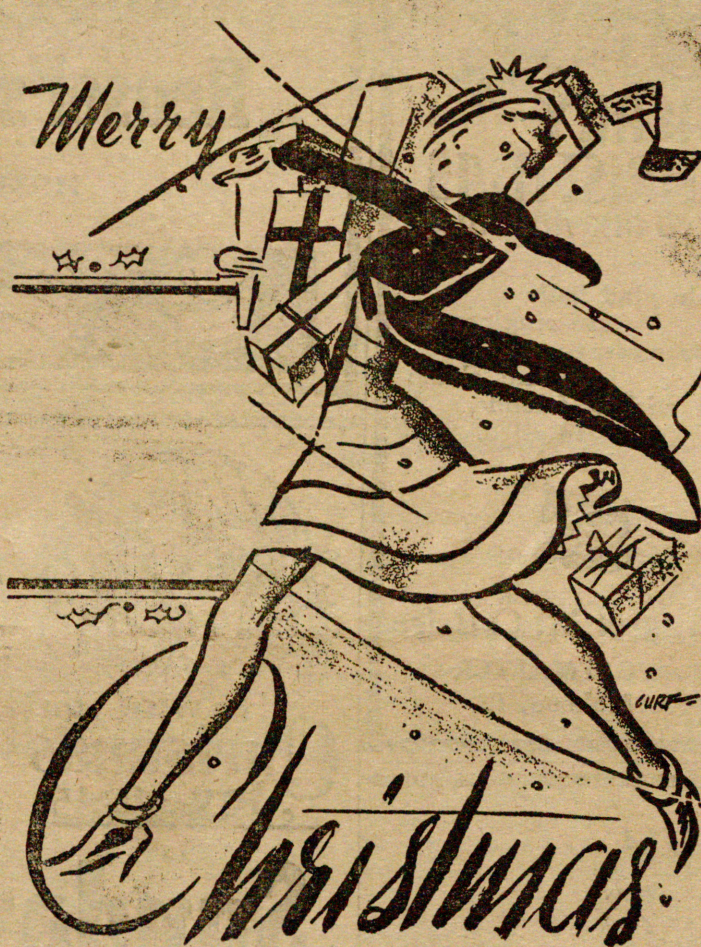


Merry CHRISTMAS

Let us be thankful for a Christmas in the "American Way" with the welcome security of our homes and with the pleasant outlook of a Happy Prosperous New Year.

Cooper Radio Electric

Floyd E. Cooper
T. Sgt. Geo. M. Cooper
Phone Orland 159 or 56J



With so many glad tidings in the air
We add our bit to what is there
With the hope that all this Yuletide Zest
For you may only mean the best

Christmas Cheer
and
Happy New Year

Walter L. Martin, Orland Park, Illinois

Christmas Bells



heard the bells on
Christmas Day
Their old, familiar carols
play,
And wild and sweet
The words repeat
Of peace on earth,
good will to men.

—H. W. Longfellow

Orland State Bank

Fresh Strawberries
In January

That's Right! You can pack your own Fruits filled with summer sunshine into the New Frigidaire Deep Freezer and enjoy eating them fresh when it's ten below.

The New Frigidaire Deep Freezers will be all white with the meter mizer unit enclosed in the cabinet. This is the same meter mizer unit that is used in the famous Frigidaire Refrigerator. These units have the lowest operating cost of any refrigerator on the market.

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freeze food when it is once thawed out, you stand to lose money as well as a lot of good things to eat. For your own protection, see that the name, "FRIGIDAIRE" is on the Freezer you buy, and the chances are that you won't need any service. But in case you do, we will have a replacement unit on hand for immediate installation.

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AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING CERTAIN TERRITORY TO THE VILLAGE OF MOKENA, ILLINOIS.

WHEREAS, there has on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1945, been duly certified to and filed with the Clerk of the Village Board of the Village of Mokena, an order of the County Court, Will County, Illinois, entered on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1945, finding that a majority of the property owners and a majority of the legal voters residing in the territory hereinafter described, have filed their petition in said Court, praying that said territory be annexed to the Village of Mokena.

AND WHEREAS, said County Court has by its order, in cause number 6623 thereof, duly adjudicated said petition to be valid, sufficient and legal; that it contains the requisite number of signatures required by Statute; that the territory described is adequately and definitely described; is contiguous to the Village of Mokena; contains one contiguous tract; and is not included within the limits of any city, village or incorporated town.

AND WHEREAS, by such decree the question of such annexation has been referred to the Village Board or trustees of the Village of Mokena, and it appears to be for the best interest of said Village that said petition be granted and said territory be annexed.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF MOKENA, ILLINOIS:

SECTION 1: That a tract of land bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the present Village limits of the Village of Mokena, Will County, Illinois, on the East line of Block (or Lot) Eight (8), in Denny's Third Addition to Mokena, Three Hundred and Twenty (320) Feet South of the Northeast Corner of said Block Eight (8), and running thence (along said Village limits), Southwesterly parallel to the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad, to the center line of Center Street, thence (continuing along said Village limits) South along the center of said street, to the center of a public highway running along the South side of said Denny's Third Addition, thence Easterly along the center line of said highway, to the East line, extended South, of Block Nine (9) of said Denny's Third Addition, thence South along said East line of Block (9), and said East line of Block Eight (8), of said Denny's Third Addition, to the place of beginning, be, and the same is hereby decreed annexed to and declared a part of the Village of Mokena, Will County, Illinois.

Section 2: That the Village Limits of the Village of Mokena, be, and the same are hereby extended to include the above described area.

Section 3: That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 4: That the present boundary lines of the Village of Mokena, be amended as follows: The present boundary line on the East line of Block eight (8) shall extend directly South along the Easterly line of said Block Eight (8) and along

the Easterly line of Block Nine (9) in Denny's Third Addition to Mokena, to a point in the Center of LaPorte Road, which point shall be located directly South, of the Southeast corner of Block Nine (9) in Denny's Third Addition to Mokena. From this point, said boundary shall extend in a Westerly direction along the Center of said LaPorte Road until it joins the present Village boundary at the intersection of Center Street and LaPorte Road.

Section 5: That this Ordinance take effect upon its passage, approval and recording according to law, as applicable to annexation of territory by petition, and that the Village Clerk certify two (2) copies of this Ordinance, delivering one copy thereof to the Recorder of Deeds of Will County, Illinois, and one copy to the County Clerk of Will County, Illinois.

Passed this 4th day of December, A. D. 1945.

ALVIN S. SORESENSEN
Village Clerk

Approved this 4th day of December A. D. 1945.

President
EVERETT J. COOPER,

Lincoln Estates
By Mrs Elizabeth Carlson
Frankfort 3142

Mrs. Elizabeth Carlson received word from her husband EM 3-c Floyd Carlson that he is finally on his way home after a year in the South Pacific. He expects to be home around the first part of January.

Helmuth Goering of the Merchant

MERRY CHRISTMAS
☆ TO ONE AND ALL ☆



Again glad bells
are ringing out
Their message
loud and clear:
Best wishes, friends,
to all of you.

Margaret M. O'Brien
POSTMASTER
Mokena, Ill.



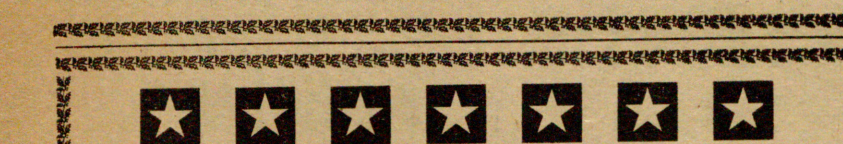
Christmas
Good Cheer
1945



This is the season of good will, and, looking down the long list of names of those who have shown their good will towards us in 1945, we come to yours.

We want to thank you for this good will on your part, and to send just the friendliest of wishes for your happiness and cheer at Christmastime.

Robinson's Tavern
Mokena, Illinois

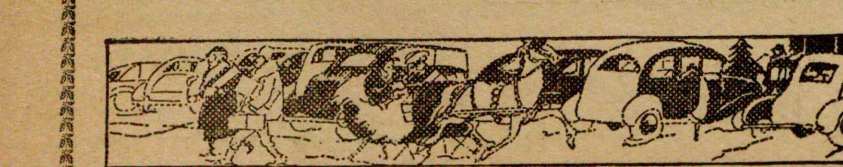


HELLO FOLKS!

We send a cherry old-fashioned Christmas Greeting from our house to yours.

Our association with this community has been that of a friendly neighbor and we wish you all the health, happiness, and prosperity that you may desire.

Cooper & Hostert
MOKENA, ILLINOIS



Marines returned home after six months in Okinawa and the Philippine Islands. He has been in the Merchant Marines for two years.

Eleanor Barches visited her cousin Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Darin in Joliet Thursday

Helmuth and Fred Goering spent Sunday in Chicago with their sister, Mrs. D. T. Sauter.

Shirley Neidringhaus, Helga Goering, and Eileen Longhurst of Homewood enjoyed the Roller Derby at the Chicago Coliseum Friday night.

Mrs. H. Ballonoff spent a few days in Chicago with relatives.

The Calvary Baptist Young people enjoyed an Xmas Grab bag party at the Calvary Baptist church. Refreshments were served and a good time was had by all.

Dorothy Fedak left for Oklahoma with her aunt Friday. They are going to spend two weeks visiting relatives.

Ray Murray, recently discharged from the Army, spent the weekend

visiting his many friends here.

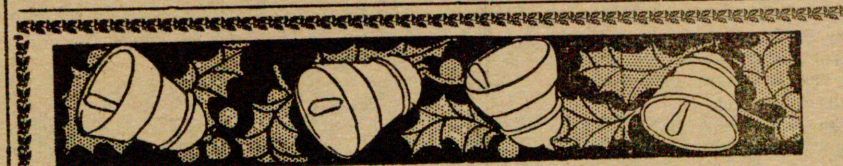
Mrs. C. Neidringhaus and daughter Shirley spent Thursday in Chicago.

Miss Ann Galenski of Melrose Park spent Saturday with her cousin Eleanor Barchis

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Darin of Joliet spent Saturday evening at the Barchis home.

Pfc. Connard Haakason returned home after 8 months in the Aleutian Islands. He is spending his leave with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hatz in Frankfort.

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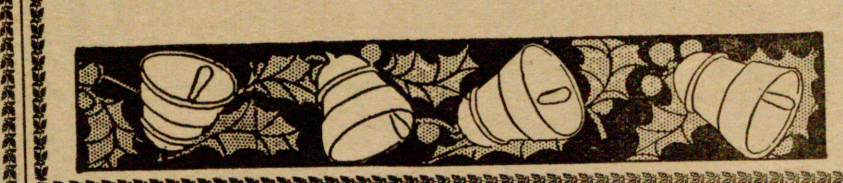


FOR EVERYBODY

Far and Near

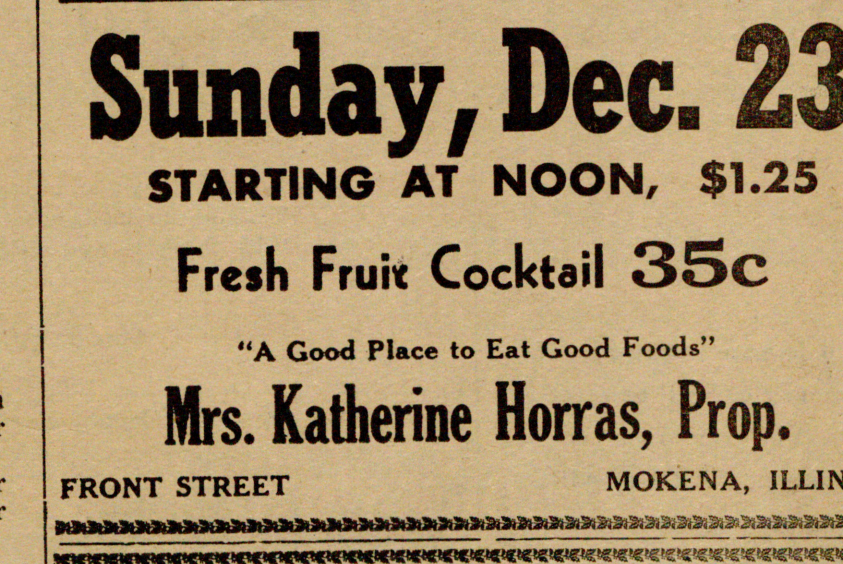
Merry Christmas and A
Happy New Year

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MOKENA, ILLINOIS

TO WISH YOU
Christmas
Joy 1945



1945
Christmas
Greetings
to all



TOWERING ABOVE A CARE-BOUND WORLD IS THE CARE-FREE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS. INDEPENDENT OF TIME, INDEPENDENT OF PLACE, INDEPENDENT OF CIRCUMSTANCE, IT EMBRACES ALL. NONE CAN ESCAPE ITS MAGIC SPELL.

May we wish you and yours, GOOD HEALTH and GOOD FORTUNE and assure you of our best efforts in the days that lie ahead.

Mokena Coal & Feed Co.
FRONT STREET
PHONE 2821

1945
Merry
Christmas
one and all



to our friends and a big hearty Christmas wish to you all, this merry, merry Christmas season.

Looking back over the year calls to mind our greatest source of pleasure has been our contact with folks like you.

Howes Royal Blue
Mokena, Illinois

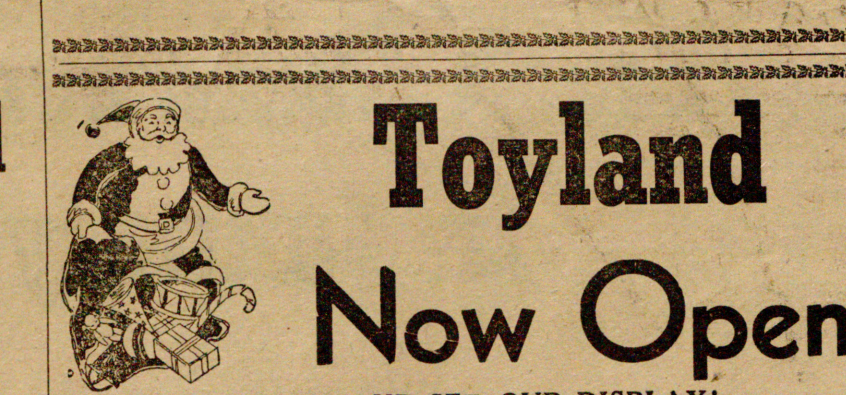
1945
Greetings
FROM
ST. NICHOLAS



A blanket of snow on the roof, peace and stillness and warmth and firelight, the lovely litter of Christmas on the living room floor. Certainly there's a Santa Claus, and as we wish you a Merry Christmas we add this wish for good measure: May good old St. Nicholas come laden, this Christmas of 1945, with more of the good things of life for you than you have ever before enjoyed.

Morry's Tavern
MOKENA, ILLINOIS

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Now Open



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OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK

MERY
CRISMUS
AN
HAPY NU
YEER



'Bout Time we take down that ol' dusty calendar and welcome a spic and span New Year.
May the laughter of you 'n yours ring out with the tinkle of Christmas Bells.

Kellogg, Painter, MOKENA, ILL.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

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Frankfort State Bank



WHEN SNOW LIES SOFTLY ON THE HILL

Now, when the fir trees wear white collars, when the birds make tiny stitches in the snow and our footprints hurry towards the warmth of home and the companionship of loved ones, it's time to wish all our friends the fullest joys of the Christmas season. So, hello everybody and Merry Christmas!

Wilbur Walsh

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LISTEN! Hear that horn! Hear that excitement in the air, that laughter! It's Christmas, neighbor, the most hopeful Christmas in years!

Imbued with this buoyant spirit of hope we express our wish for a genuine Merry Christmas to all our friends and patrons.

R. Muehler's Tavern

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Yuletide Happiness

At this time when Christmas trees are beginning to glow in the windows everywhere, and the holly wreaths are going up, we want to send you our best wishes for a very Happy Christmas. You have made 1945 a very pleasant year for us, for which we are duly grateful.

FRANKFORT GRAIN COMPANY



Christmas is the season of the open heart and the open door. Let none stand out in the cold or be unremembered.

In this community of good fellows, where each helps share the other's happiness and all do their part towards making the Christmas season enjoyable for each and everyone, it is a privilege to be in a position to serve you. We take great pleasure in wishing you a Merry Christmas.

Mokena State Bank



And now comes another Christmas to be added to your store of memories. We hope this Christmas of 1945 will be a very enjoyable one—a truly happy one—fulfilling all the fine traditions of Christmas.

Accept our hearty thanks for the pleasant business associations of the past year. Once again we say

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Mokena Oil Company



Stealing over the countryside is the blessed peacefulness of Christmastide. The very air seems charged with it. Even the birds—what few remain—appear to share in the general rejoicing that has come over the world.

We earnestly hope that this Christmas season of 1945 will bestow unusual blessings upon you and yours—that it will bring to your home the soft glow that even Christmas tree lights cannot bequeath—the full joy of Christmas Seasons long past, but more remembered. May such a Christmas be yours.

Mokena Wallpaper Mill

Discontinue R. I. Interlocking Plant

Finds Parents of Friend Living In Bombed Flat

Sometime ago Louis Lupert residing at Harlem and 143rd Street, Orland, told Mrs. Paul Oelke that his parents were living in Frankfort, Germany but that he had not heard from them during the war. Robert, son of the Oelke's is stationed near Frankfort and his mother wrote to him asking him to look up Mr. Lupert's folks and sent their address.

The other day a letter was received from Robert in which he stated that he managed to get off enough time from his military duties to make the trip to Frankfurt 30 miles from his camp. As transportation is nearly nonexistent, he had to walk almost the way, only getting a hitch hike lift for about 6 miles. On arriving in the badly wrecked city he finally located the Lupert family. They owned a 3 story flat building. The roof had been bombed off, but the family managed to patch up the place so they can live on the second floor.

At first the Lupert's were frightened to see a soldier coming to their abode, but their fears were soon quieted when Robert spoke to them in German. They practically lost everything. Their chief diet in food is brown bread and potatoes. The couple are over 70 years old and have seen and gone thru much. After an interesting visit and news from their son in America, the Lupert's were made more than happy when their visitor presented them with a gift of money. They have another son who was captured by the Russians and is said to be quite ill in a prison camp in Russia.

CONSCRIPTION AND NATIONAL DEFENSE FORUM TOPIC

"Conscription and National Defense" was the Forum topic at the meeting of the Marley Community Farm Life Program last Tuesday night. Mr. Donald Sharpe, Assistant Superintendent of the Joliet Township high school was the Forum Leader. Pointing out that the Conscription bill in the form which is now in Congressional committee is neither a bill to improve the health of American youth nor educate him, nor teach him the meaning of democracy, but rather a bill to train youth in the use of arms and in army discipline, and that alone, Mr. Sharpe emphasized our need to know the facts. After the presentation a discussion was called for which resulted in expressions of many different opinions.

This meeting at the Marley church is part of a winter program of courses for farm and country men and women and their families, which will be held every Tuesday until spring. The next meeting of the Program will be after the holidays, on the 8th of January. Everyone is invited to attend.

TINLEY PARK PREPARING FOR GAY NEW YEAR'S EVE

Tinley Park is preparing for a gay New Year's Eve. Various New Year's eve parties, dances etc. are being planned. A big dance is to be held at the Saenger hall with the popular Rhythm Teasers furnishing the music. There will be favors, noisemakers, good eats, refreshments and a grand time in store for all who attend. Remember the date Dec 31st.

TINLEY CHURCHES PREPARE ELABORATE XMAS PROGRAMS

The Tinley Park churches have prepared quite elaborate programs for Christmas Eve with special services on Christmas Day. New Year's eve services will be held as well as services on New Year's Day. In honor of the 28 young men of the Zion Lutheran church who have returned home after serving in the armed forces, a special candle light service will be held Christmas Eve.

ELECT VILLAGE TRUSTEE AND POLICE MAGISTRATE AT FRANKFORT

At a special election held in Frankfort Monday, a village trustee and a police magistrate were elected to fill a vacancy. There was no opposition. In spite of the cold weather and no contest 43 votes were cast. Those elected are:

For Village trustee:
For Police Magistrate: J. C. Knight.
With the election of the above, the village of Frankfort now has a complete board again.

AUCTION SALE DATES

Dec. 22—Gus Cegler, New Lenox

NOTICE

Motor Vehicle and Dog Licenses for the village of Mokena for 1946 are now due. If it is desired to retain the same number as previous, please call or see me soon.

ALVIN SORESENSEN,
Village Clerk, Mokena

Mrs. M. Bonness Dies In Chicago

Mrs. Minnie Bonness, a resident of Mokena for many years and of late residing in Chicago, died in that city last Saturday.

Surviving are Sr. M. Giovanni, O.E.S., Mary Hawkins, Agnes Marchi, Benedict Zidek, and Etta Groth.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 9 a.m. in the Sacred Heart church in Chicago. Burial was made in the St. Mary's Cemetery at Mokena.

ORLAND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL CLASS SPONSORING A PARTY NIGHT FOR STUDENTS

Tuesday, January 1, 1946 the senior class is sponsoring a party night for the high school students, former students and adults in the high school gym from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. An enjoyable evening has been planned including dancing. Music will be supplied by records played over the new public-address system. Soft drinks will be available at the coke bar.

A tentative list of chaperones included Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Treadway.

SENDS OUT OVER 2000 XMAS CARDS

County Clerk Joseph H. Hartley / of Will County has been a very busy man the past few weeks preparing and mailing out over 2,000 Christmas cards.

MEMORIAL PARK AT TINLEY FLOODED FOR SKATING

Memorial Park, Tinley Park, has been flooded for skating. All children are asked to stay off the ice until a notice is published or posted that the ice is ready for skating.

TAX REFERENDUM CARRIES AT ORLAND SPECIAL ELECTION

The tax referendum held Saturday, December 15th in the Orland Park Elementary school District No. 135 and the Orland Community High school District No. 221 carried on all propositions.

The general purpose of these elections was to establish a maximum legal tax rate under which the two schools could have an assurance of sufficient revenue to continue to develop an adequate educational program. As a result of this referendum the maximum legal rates per One Hundred Dollars of Assessed valuation will after January 1st, 1946 be reduced as follows:

Orland Community High school, District No. 221, Educational Fund rate reduced from \$1.50 to \$.75. Building Fund rate reduced from .50 to .25.

Orland Elementary School, District No. 135, Educational Fund rate reduced from \$1.80 to \$.90. Building Fund rate reduced from .50 to .25.

It should be noted that the rates cited above represent the maximum. Either district may levy any amount so long as the extension of that levy does not result in a tax rate greater than the maximum rates listed above.

ORLAND WOMAN'S CLUB SPONSORED PARTY FOR OAK FOREST PATIENTS

The Orland Park Woman's Club sponsored a party for the patients in the Occupational Therapy shop at Oak Forest Infirmary, Monday afternoon, December 17th. Mrs. Karl Ekberg, Occupational Therapy chairman of the club was in charge. The members donated cookies and sandwiches, coffee, sugar and cream furnished by cash donations. Mrs. Ekberg was assisted by Mrs. John Loebe, Mrs. Ernest Wood, Mrs. Sig Kaufman and Mrs. S. S. Knox.

Mrs. Ekberg also had several boxes of books for the library of the institution, and material to be used in the shop. After the party, Mr. Pacatte, an official of the Infirmary, conducted a tour for the club members, through the infirmary. We visited the chapels of the Catholic, Protestant and the Jewish Synagogues, the Christian Science Reading room, the dining room, kitchen, the store, dairy, butcher shop, and some of the wards.

ELDON NICOLAI OF ORLAND PK AND CLAIRE BRENNAN OF CHICAGO MARRIED

On Wednesday afternoon, December 5 at 3:30 p.m. Claire Brennan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Brennan of Chicago and Mr. Eldon Nicolai, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nicolai, were united in marriage at St. Killian's church on 87th and May Streets, Chicago by the Rev. Gerald Scanlon.

Mrs. Loretta Hartigan, sister of the bride was Matron of Honor, and Thom as McMahon, brother in law of the bride served as best man. The bride was attired in a lime colored crepe dress, rose flowered hat and gloves and a beautiful corsage of lavender orchids.

Loretta's dress was melon color and she wore a lime colored flowered hat and gloves and her corsage was of yellow orchids. The mothers of the bridal couple both wore corsages of gardenias. The bride also wore a beautiful diamond watch which was a gift of the groom.

A reception at 6 p.m. was held at Nollens on 79th Street. The newlyweds enjoyed a honeymoon trip through the East.

The Lights Are on Again

After a period of four long years of darkness, the blackouts have ended and the lights have gone on again all over the world and this Christmas is the first peace time Christmas in four years. Again we see outdoor lighting, colored lights festoon the streets and the spirit of light is manifest everywhere.

Now that the lights have gone on again it behooves all of us to do our part to see that they will never go out again. We must have peace and we must open war on war to outlaw it so there will never be world carnage again. This must be done by having every nation scrap everything that will promote war. All armies, navies, etc. the world over must be abolished in order to keep the light of world peace shining.

The other day we were mighty pleased to see that an artist had caught the vision of schapping everything saving war. On a front page cover of a popular weekly magazine was a picture showing Santa and his force of helpers at work on the assembly line in his toy factory. Coming down the line were tanks, cannons, toy soldiers etc. and a number of Santa's helpers were shown throwing these objects off the assembly line into a junk pile. In place of war breeding articles, came toys instilling the spirit of peace. This cartoon was very significant. We can in reality clear our life assembly lines of all war making ideas by relegating them to the junk pile. Let us keep the lights shining all over the world.

—THE EDITOR

MRS. DOROTHY HENTSCH RE-OPENS APPLIANCE STORE

Mrs. Dorothy Hentsch has reopened her appliance store and toy department which has been closed since the death of her husband Albert Hentsch two weeks ago. She has a nice stock to select from.

FRED GOEBEL OF TINLEY PARK IN HOSPITAL

Fred Goebel, well known Tinley Park insurance man, Bremen Township school treasurer and prominent in civic circles of the community, is a patient for observation in the St. Francis hospital in Blue Island, entering the hospital last Sunday. His host of friends wish him a speedy recovery.

DAIRY FARMERS HOLD ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF LOCAL OFFICERS

Several hundred dairy farmers and their families attended the annual meeting and election of officers of the Mokena Local 13 of the Pure Milk Association held in the St. John Evangelical church in Mokena Friday night. The church parlors following which the guests went upstairs to the main church auditorium where a very interesting program was carried out including the showing of a technicolor picture on the Royal Canadian Air Force depicting the rigid training recruits undergo and showing the important part nutritional values of milk and other dairy products play in the meals served the trainees.

Charles Erickson a member of the Board of Directors of the Pure Milk Association gave a pep talk showing the need of organization among the dairymen. He also sounded a note of warning as to the future of the dairy business and pointed out how important it is for the dairy farmer to have a strong organization to depend on.

Mr. Erickson conducted the election of officers of the Mokena Local. Geo. Mager who has been serving as president, was unanimously re-elected. Wm. Bernhardt was chosen as vice president. The office of secretary treasurer was the only one in which competition developed. I. D. Marti, who has held this office for the past five years, was very emphatic in his refusal to accept re-election to this office.

Herman Bormet and Owen Maue were put up as nominees. Next a ballot was taken and Mr. Bormet was elected. The vote was 29 for Bormet and 21 for Maue. Arthur Mark was named head of the advisory committee.

Mr. Williams of PMA was the speaker and gave an excellent account of the growth of the Association which now has over 18,000 members in the Chicago milkshed, also of the rapid development of the various co-operative subsidiaries of PMA.

Announcement was made that the annual meeting of PMA will be held March 12 in the Sherman House in Chicago and many of the dairymen present indicated they will attend this vitally important session.

President George Mager was in charge of the program.

THANK YOU

We wish to thank all those who so generously donated, who gave of their time and who purchased to make the Bazaar of the Ann Rutledge school in Lincoln Estates last Saturday, a most successful affair.

The Bazaar Committee

Erect 25 ft. Community Xmas Tree In Tinley

Tinley Park is in reality back to the old time spirit of celebrating Christmas. The Left Handed Social club of Tinley Park has done a very swell job of bringing the old Christmas spirit to town by way of erecting a 25 foot high well proportioned community Christmas tree in the square in front of the Vogt Dept. Store in Tinley Park. The tree is well lighted with colored electric lights. A neat white fence has been placed about the tree and at night "pineapple" lights around this fence serve as a guard against autoists driving against it. Much credit is due the Left Handed Social Club for this fine and commendable job well done.

At night Tinley Park streets reflect a real Christmas spirit by way of gay colored illumination. Myriads of colored electric light strings are strung overhead over the main streets of the village which create an artistic touch to the night lighting scheme.

FOUNDEE OF COMMUNITY CENTER FOUNDATION ISSUES TIMELY XMAS MESSAGE

The following Christmas message by Rev. Paul T. Sanders, founder of the Community Center Foundation in Palos Park which appears in The Fellowship News Letter, official organ of the Foundation, is just exactly along the lines outlined many times by the Editor of this newspaper and we consider this message so outstanding that we are re-printing it herewith verbatim:

It is Christmas in the year 1945—a year of mingled emotions is drawing to a close, a year of joys and sorrows, frustrations, vulgarities. A great conflict has temporarily ceased. The people of the world are longing for a durable peace, the rules of the world are building a peace fraught with selfishness and intrigue.

A long time ago a humble peasant and his wife sought a room in the inn where the mother might bear her first child. There was no place there; therefore, the Christ was born in a stable. The people of that day were longing for an opportunity to live a full free life, but the church was corrupt, the leaders were selfish, the weaker minority groups were being exploited by Roman conquerors. That little child, born in a stable, brought a message to the world, he taught that the way of peace and freedom was only through unselfish love and brotherhood. For over nineteen hundred years that message has filtered through the world. Men have heard it and cast it aside in favor of the Roman method of force and exploitation, empires have been built and destroyed. The masses have suffered, bled and died, have attained a small degree of security, a little freedom, then bondage and serfdom.

That small, simple voice of the Christ child has called at the door of the inn of men's hearts for a long time, but other noises have drowned it out.

That voice is speaking to us today, but our leaders have failed to hear it. We, the common people, have heard it slightly. Our future freedom is at stake our civilization is in the balance. We have tried all other methods to save it. Another advent season is at hand. Could it be that a miracle will come to pass. Could it be that Christ will be born in our hearts this Christmas time. Could it be that the deep, agonizing prayer of humanity will be heard.

"Christ stands at the door and knocks, open that door this Christmas eve, open the door to your own heart, and the door to the family circle, the door of the community, the state and nation, the world."

SCHOOL SURVEY COMMITTEE HOLDS JOINT MEETING

A joint meeting of the School Survey committees of Lake, Kane, McHenry, DuPage, Will, Kankakee, Grundy, LaSalle and Cook Counties will be held January 5, 1946 in the Board Rooms of Cook County Commissioners, County Bldg., in Chicago starting at 10 a.m.

Among the speakers and their subjects are: Mr. John Cox, Executive Director, "The Illinois Agricultural Association Rural School Survey", Dr. Wm. C. Reavis, Professor of Education University of Chicago, "School Surveys and Recommended Units", Luther Black, Assistant State Supt. of Public Instruction, "The Handbook for County Survey Committees", Dr. Eue Lawler, Professor of Education, North western University, "Financing our Public Schools".

There will be a question and answer period following each speaker.

ANNOUNCES NO STATE PROPERTY TAX LEVY

Governor Dwight H. Green has announced that there will be no state property tax levy for 1945. The Governor, Conrad F. Becker, state treasurer, and Arthur C. Lueder, auditor of public accounts, came to this decision after meeting in conformity to the law which provides they shall meet each year to fix the state property tax rate.

Frankfort Lions Hold Xmas Party

The Frankfort Lions Club members entertained their better halves at an annual Christmas party in the parlors of St. Peter's Ev. and Reformed church Tuesday night. A sumptuous dinner was served at tables prettily decorated in keeping with the season. At each table was a candle holder with three tapers which were lit during the course of the meal.

At the close of the dinner, old familiar Christmas songs were sung with a real feeling. Rev. Erich Bizer served as Master of Ceremonies. After a solo by the program was opened with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Semmler acting out well known slogans of nationally advertised products and the one guessing the largest number of the slogans correctly received a prize.

A feature which created a great deal of merriment was a nose guessing contest. Five men back of a big sheet put the tip of their noses thru slots in the sheet and their wives had to guess which was hubby's nose. There was only one contestant who knew her hubby's nose.

The musical chair stunt also provided much fun as well as exercise.

The shadow contest was another interesting feature. A number of guests paraded back of a sheet and as they walked by the object was to guess who the person was by their shadow.

A Christmas gift exchange was much enjoyed. Gifts for the ladies were piled at the right side and for the men on the left side at the foot of the Christmas tree on the stage. Each guest had previously been given a number which corresponded to the number on the gift package and as each number was called the holder of the number would step up and receive the gift package which they were asked to open and show the guests what Santa had brought. Many of the gifts brought out much laughter.

Another contest which tested ones power of observation and the ability to remember was "Santa's Pack" which was portrayed by Rev. Bizer. He unpacked a pack and as he did so he named the various items he had found in the pack. When the pack was empty all the articles were covered and the guests were asked to write down all the articles which had been in Santa's pack and the one getting the most names correctly received a prize. Mrs. Adam Heisner had the best memory and received a prize.

All present enjoyed a most pleasant evening of Lion hospitality and fun.

MOKENA VFW AND AUX. TO HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Veterans of Foreign Wars of Wm. Martin Post and their Auxiliary of Mokena, and families, will hold their annual Christmas party in Hatch Hall, Mokena Saturday evening December 22, at 8 o'clock. Dancing will be enjoyed to the music furnished by the Teen Town Serenaders. Each one is to bring a 25c gift for the exchange.

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCES RESIGNATION OF OFFICIAL

The Public Service Company of Northern Illinois today announced the resignation of J. R. Pershall, director of Advertising, who is forming an organization under his own name to enter the general advertising field on January 1, 1946. Pershall has been associated with the utility for 23 years.

Wm. E. Pierce, assistant of advertising, has been named manager of the company's advertising department effective January 1.

ORLAND DRAFT BOARD ISSUES NOTICE

At a meeting of the Cook County Local Board No. 10, Creer Bldg., Orland Park, held Nov. 30, 1945 with all members present, it was decided not to keep the office open Monday evenings any more as the need for that extra session of the board, had past and the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved that Cook County Local Board No. 10, Creer Bldg., Orland Park, will be in session on the following date only: Every Friday evening from 7 to 9 p.m., unless Friday falls on a Legal holiday."

Board hours daily Monday thru Friday 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

FORMER ORLAND PARK MAN DIES FOLLOWING COLLAPSE

Albert E. Felton, a former resident of Orland Park and who has been living with his step daughter Mrs. Edw. Stoffregan in Chicago, since the death of his wife Nora, collapsed on the street near 63rd Street Wednesday December 19. He was taken to the Englewood hospital where he died without regaining consciousness. His body will rest at the Schmiedeke Funeral home in Orland Park.

NEW MOKENA FIRE TRUCK ARRIVED LAST FRIDAY

The new Mokena Community Fire Department truck which was built to order in St. Louis, Mo., arrived here last Friday and has been stored at the Cooper & Hostert garage.

Many Changes Made at R. I. Depot In Mokena

The interlocking signal and switch plant of the Rock Island railroad which has been in operation in the Rock Island depot at Mokena for the past 20 years, was officially abolished Tuesday when the new electrically operated plant was cut in. The new system which is operated from the M. C. tower in east Joliet controls signals and switching from Blue Island to Morris. Trains are operated and are switched from one track to another all automatically.

Whitney Carter present Rock Island depot agent at Mokena came here twenty years ago just as the interlocking plant was being installed in the Mokena depot. The levers and all equipment will be removed from the depot.

With the abolishing of this plant, 2 extra men are also taken out of service. At one time the Rock Island depot at Mokena was operated 24 hours a day, but now there will be no night nor no Sunday and holiday service. The hours when Mr. Carter will be at the depot are from 8 a.m. to noon and from 1:30 to 4 p.m. Mr. Carter states he will be at the depot at 6 a.m. the first day of each month to sell the monthly ride tickets to commuters.

Mr. Carter during his twenty years stay in Mokena has rendered excellent service and by his courtesy and good service has made a host of friends for himself as well as for the Rock Island.

NEW LENOX STATE BANK DECLARES 8 PER CENT DIVIDEND

On December 15th the New Lenox State Bank sent an 8 per cent dividend check to all the stockholders.

Fred Krogg, cashier of the bank declares the books of the bank show substantial gains in all departments and the bank is especially proud of an increase of about \$300,000 in deposits over a year ago.

The bank's deposits today total approximately one and a quarter million dollars.

WALTER O. HERSCHBACH EXTENDS LAW PRACTICE AGAIN

Walter O. Herschbach formerly of Frankfort, has re-entered the practice of law as a member of the law firm of Hill & Herschbach with offices in the Barber Building in Joliet.

Mr. Herschbach has been in the service of his country and at the time of his release held the rank of Lt. U. S. N. R.

MRS. EMMA MEIER OF ORLAND PARK PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Emma Dorothea Meier nee Steinfatt the wife of Albert Sr., passed away in her home in Orland Park December 16 at 3:30 p.m. at the age of 58 years.

The deceased was born May 16, 1887 in Worth Township and was united in marriage in 1916 with Albert Meier Sr. and to this union four sons and one daughter was born. One son died in infancy.

For several years the family lived in Orland Township and for the past 9 years lived on a farm in Homer township.

Mrs. Meier leaves to mourn, her husband Albert, three sons Albert, and Elmer and Emil and one daughter Emma. One brother Edward Steinfatt of Tinley Park, one sister, Mrs. Augusta Koehler of Orland Park and relatives and friends.

The funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 p.m. from the Schmiedeke Funeral home at 2 p.m. in the Christ Ev. Lutheran church with Rev. A. Lach officiating. Interment was made in the Hazel Green cemetery in Worth township.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The annual Christmas program of the Tinley Park Methodist Sunday School will be held in the church at 7:30 o'clock Dec. 24th.

The primary dept., Mrs. A. J. Brandau, Supt., and the Youth Department with Mrs. Wm. Schellhase Superintendent, will present the evening's program.

A pageant entitled "Christmastide" will also be rendered and conclude the evening's festivities.

FOR YOUR SPECIAL HOLIDAY ENTERTAINMENT

For the latest offerings of the Rialto, theatre, Joliet, Harvey at Harvey, Lyric at Blue Island and Lincoln at Chicago Heights during the holiday week, turn to page 8 of this section.

THIS IS LARGEST XMAS GREETING EDITION WE EVER ISSUED

This is the largest Christmas greeting edition this paper has issued during its entire existence. In all we have run 48 pages of Christmas advertising during the month of December.



DAY OF JUDGMENT FOR ALL . . . The accused at Nuernberg trials are shown in lower left. They include Goering, Hess, Von Ribbentrop, Keitel, Rosenberg, Frank, Frick, Streicher, Funk, Schacht, Doenitz, Raeder, Von Schirach, Sauckel, Jodl, Von Papen, Speer, Von Neurath and Fritzsche. Upper photo shows the court officials. Lower right, the entrance is being carefully guarded by American troops. The records contain historical evidence that would ordinarily require years of research to compile.



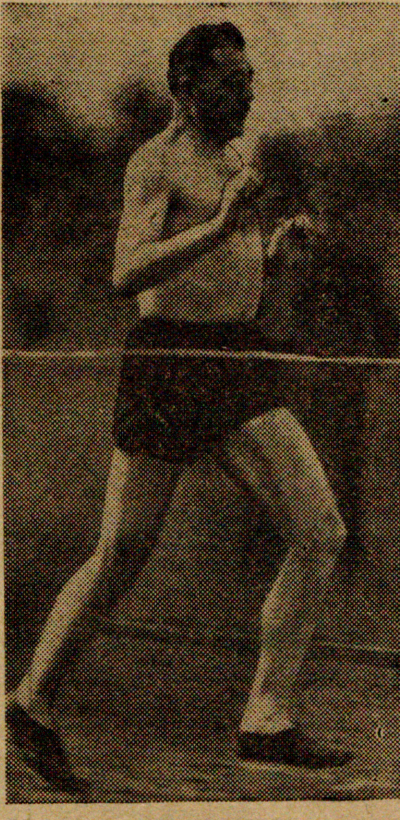
DOLLS TO AID SANTA CLAUS . . . Photo shows left to right, Marilyn MacGregor, Warren, Ohio; Betty Reznar, Durham, N. C.; Francis Tibbetts, Melrose, Mass., and Elizabeth Peterson, Cornwall, Pa., as they sit among some of the 1,000 dolls that will be delivered to social agencies and through them to poor children confined in hospitals. The dolls were provided by students at Wellesley college, Wellesley, Mass.



TO HAVE AN EARLY CHRISTMAS . . . "Dear Santa," writes pain-wracked three-year-old Marvie Clark, with the aid of his mother, Edna Clark. But Marvie will never know Santa's response, for doctors have told his parents that Marvie cannot live until Christmas.



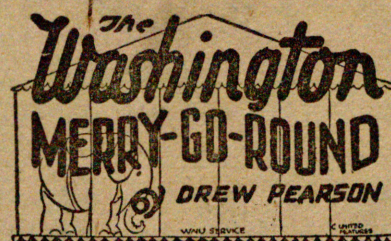
WINS LAMB AWARD . . . Wayne Disch, 15, Evansville, Ind., with his pen of three Southdown lambs that won the junior championship at Chicago market fat stock show, held during the 24th National 4-H club congress. The average weight of the animals is 110 pounds. The International, replaced this year by the market fat stock show, will take place in 1946. A nation-wide 4-H club program is directed by federal, state and county extension services. The national committee on boys and girls club work is privately supported by voluntary groups of interested citizens.



IS STILL RUNNING . . . Dr. Karl Kohelt, newly elected president of Switzerland, did not stop running when he was recently elected to office.



SENSATIONAL FOOTBALLER . . . Herman Wedemeyer, Hawaiian-born halfback of the St. Mary's Gaels, selected as "the most useful player on the Pacific coast." He will play with the Moraga, Calif., team against Oklahoma A & M in the Sugarbowl classic at New Orleans.



FRIEND OF ENLISTED MAN

WASHINGTON. — If there were more men in the army like General Eisenhower, this newsman would not be so swamped with soldier mail.

The other day Sgt. Samuel Cohen of Philadelphia, stationed in Berlin, received a cable telling of a serious emergency at home. Physicians advised his return immediately. Two weeks passed and all Cohen got was the usual army run-around. He couldn't get a furlough. Finally, a friend suggested that Cohen call General "Ike" directly.

"What can I lose?" Cohen asked, going to a telephone.

When he asked the G.I. operator for General Eisenhower, the operator asked with no surprise in his voice whether he should ring the general at his home or his office. Since it was then about 10 o'clock in the evening, Cohen said to try the general's home.

An aide to Eisenhower answered and listened to Cohen's story, excused himself for a few minutes, came back to the telephone and said, "Sergeant, if you will call the office of General Clay, perhaps something can be arranged for you."

"You had better wait about 10 minutes before calling General Clay," he added, "to give General Eisenhower a chance to talk with him first."

Ten minutes later, Cohen called General Clay, where an aide said, "Oh, yes, sergeant, we've been expecting your call. Now can you come in at eight o'clock tomorrow morning? We'll see about transportation then."

Cohen took off by air the next day before noon.

TRUMAN TURNS REPORTER

Congressional leaders who met with President Truman recently to discuss serious legislative problems got a chuckle over Truman's story about his surprise flight to see his mother on her 93rd birthday.

Newspapers have already told how Truman called the Kansas City Star to announce his arrival in Grandview, Mo. But in addition, here is what Truman told his congressional leaders really happened:

It was Sunday afternoon and the usually bustling city room of the Star was in a lull. Only a skeleton editorial force was on the job, and a young reporter answered the phone.

"This is the President," said Truman.

"Who?" said the reporter.

"This is President Truman."

"The hell it is," exclaimed the newsman, convinced that somebody was pulling a practical joke. "Mister, who are you trying to kid?"

Finally the call was transferred to another writer on the paper, who knew Truman personally and could identify his voice. Highly amused, the President told him the news of his visit.

FOGGY FOREIGN POLICY

Harry Hopkins, now hospitalized in New York, is not improving. Always a living skeleton, Harry kept himself alive because of his love of FDR. Now that FDR is gone, Harry has no more zest for work.

Sen. Claude Pepper of Florida is returning from a three-month tour of Europe to blister the administration's handling of foreign policy. Coming on top of Senator Fulbright's two-fisted attack, perhaps somebody around the state department will wake up to the fact that the seeds of World War III can be planted right now. . . . The strategic services unit of the war department (it was formerly the "Oh-so-secret" office of Gen. "Wild Bill" Donovan) has just set up a very interesting project which will not keep the peace. It is working on a "plan for an order of battle for a war with Russia." The job is under direct supervision of Maj. Raymond Cromwell, former Tokyo correspondent for the Wall Street Journal.

CAPITAL CHAFF

Former Coast Guard Comdr. Joel Fischer was in Germany trying to root out hidden Nazi funds. Cross-examining war criminals, he found them anxious to get American lawyers to act in their defense. When asked his views on the best American lawyers, Fischer, with straight face, replied: "You ought to try to get Clarence Darrow or Perry Mason." Fischer's victims took careful notes, not realizing that Darrow has been dead for more than five years and that Mason is a fictional character in Earle Stanley Gardner's mystery stories.

Government press officials recently beat down a second attempt by War Mobilizer John Snyder to maintain a peacetime censorship over the statements of their bosses. They rejected all censorship schemes flatly during a secret session at the White House, promising to check among themselves to be sure major policy statements of cabinet members and other key officials are not so far apart. . . . Randolph Paul, one of the ablest tax men the U. S. treasury has ever had, is completing book on taxation, written for popular reading.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.
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Lesson for December 23

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THE MESSAGE OF CHRISTMAS TO THE WORLD

LESSON TEXT: Luke 2:1-14.
GOLDEN TEXT: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.—Luke 2:14.

Christmas again! Yes, and it's going to be a joyful Christmas this year, isn't it? Let's not miss a single bit of the joy and gladness of the season. Let's observe all the precious customs and traditions. Let's share in the pleasantness and the laughter. Some may have to do it with a sense of sadness hidden in their hearts, but even they will join us in really keeping Christmas this year.

But don't forget to keep Christ in your Christmas this year as never before! We who know Him should realize how much the world needs Him. We should see in the months just ahead our greatest opportunity to make Him known.

Our lesson topic is "The Message of Christmas to the World." What is that message? Here it is:

I. Make Room for Jesus! (vv. 1-7).

"It came to pass"—yes, it always does when God has given His promise. For seven centuries God had said, "He is coming," and then He came. God rules the affairs of this world even though thoughtless and unbelieving men not only grieve Him, but often defy Him.

Jesus came—but He came to a manger, "because there was no room for him in the inn." Is it not the same today? There is no room for Him now in the hearts of most men. Is He wanted in our places of business, in our governmental offices, in our social gatherings?

Remember, it was not because they hated Him that there was no room. It was just that they were "preoccupied." That is the trouble in men's hearts today. They should have made room in the inn for Jesus even though everyone and everything else must be turned out, and we should make room for Him no matter what else or who else must go.

They would have made room for Jesus had they known who He was. We do know, and yet we do not make room. Why not? (Jer. 17:9; John 15:24; Rom. 8:7.) (John W. Bradbury).

That is the message of Christmas! Make room in your heart, in your life and in your home for Jesus! Then go quickly and

II. Tell Others About Jesus! (vv. 8-12).

The religious leaders slept soundly the night Jesus was born. They knew the prophecies of His coming, but they were not looking for Him. Perchance some of them slept in the very inn where He could not be received.

But the shepherds were awake. They knew that something unbelievably great had happened, for the heavens were ablaze with celestial glory.

At first they were afraid, but they were soon comforted by the words "Fear not." How characteristic that message is of the whole gospel testimony. Fear not, there is salvation; Jesus has come to seek and to save the lost.

But be sure to note that such a message is not just for one's personal joy and encouragement; it is for "all people" (v. 10). The shepherds realized that and the verses following our lesson tell us that "they made known" what they had seen (vv. 17-20).

How great that need is today! After all these centuries since Jesus came there are still multitudes of people on this earth who have never heard about our Saviour. There are children who would ordinarily have been in church and Sunday school who, because of the war, have grown up in heathen darkness.

Others there are who have heard but have not responded, and we must go to them once more this Christmas and tell them that "a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord" was born in Bethlehem.

Make room for Jesus, and then make Him known to others. That will lead you to

III. Praise God for Jesus (vv. 13-14).

The angels could hardly wait with their praise. "Suddenly" a multitude of the heavenly host appeared, praising God for the blessed message of peace and good will.

The Christian life is quite incomplete and unbalanced if it does not include much praise. The Lord is worthy of all the praise of every believing heart this Christmas Day!

The writer of these notes extends to you the heartiest of good wishes at this glad Christmas season. He pleads with you if you are not a Christian, make room for the Saviour in your heart! Then, let us all make Him known everywhere, to the praise and glory of His name.

It would please the one who prepares these notes to have a word from his friends everywhere, assuring him of their interest and prayers. Just a postcard will do. The address is at the head of the column. Don't expect a reply, but be assured that he will pray for you.

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AN INNER SANCTUM MYSTERY
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THE STORY THUS FAR: Lt. Andy Blake and his wife, Arab, believed that a German spy ring was working out of her boarding house. Andy had searched Jones' house, nearby, and found some evidence, which he turned over to FBI. They had managed to escape from Jones. Later, Arab had told the girls that she had given evidence of loose talk to Andy and that he was holding it at home to deliver to Intelligence. Knowing they would be followed they went that night to Andy's home, to await the coming of Jones and his agents. They read the notes while they waited. They were sure that Jones would arrive to try and get back the notes. They knew they were engaged on dangerous work.

CHAPTER X

When we finished we were pretty sure of what we had. No remark made the grade unless we knew that there was a chance that the speaker could have had some kind of inside knowledge on the point in question. We sorted the items on the green table and numbered them. I read the numbered notes over slowly:

1.—Remark: "People think they're not getting much gas now, but just wait. So much oil will be needed that we'll have to cut the A cards way down from four gallons. And maybe the B cards too."

Comments: Works for Petroleum Administrator.
Me—An invasion would take a lot of oil.
Arab—Could she mean submarine losses, not an invasion?

Me—She said, "Oil will be needed," not "So much oil is being lost that we'll have to cut the A cards." Doesn't sound like subs.

2.—Remark: "We're so busy that half the time I don't know whether I'm coming or going. I thought it was bad last spring but now—!"

Comments: Works for Army Map Service.
Arab—They must be putting out an extra lot of maps. Don't they need lots for a big campaign? Every tank commander gets maps for one thing.

Me—Check.

3.—Remark: "I used to be a wiz in geography at school, only I didn't know the half of it. Why, some of these places in foreign countries can be spelled three or four different ways . . . the letters are different from the Roman alphabet, you see. And of course we have to make sure we use a standard system, or the men using the maps later would get confused."

Comments: Works for Army Map Service.

Arab—Same girl as in No. 2.
Me—Could be Russian, Japanese, Chinese, or Arabic. Maybe the Russians use a few letters of the Roman alphabet but none of the others do.

Arab—The Russians are taking care of their own maps. We're a long way from invading Japan. Likewise from getting an army into China. Looks like Arabic? North Africa?

Me—Yes. I've seen one place spelled several different ways in the papers: Ageliah, El Ageliah, Al Ageliah, etc.

4.—Remark: "Mrs. Fielding, you're French. What is this man Darlan like?"

Comments: Works in State Department.
Me—Is she usually interested in political figures?

Arab—No.
Me—Does she speak French? Did she pronounce Darlan correctly, or like a Southerner saying darling?

Arab—Doesn't speak French but had the pronunciation right. Why? Me—She's heard people discussing Darlan or she wouldn't be interested. Important people. At the State Dept.

Arab—Who is Darlan?

Me—Admiral of the French Navy. Guy to be watched in any N. African invasion. More important than Petain or Laval in re N. Africa.

5.—Remark: "You'd never guess how many odd things rate as strategic materials. Like pyrethrum. That's the basis of a lot of insect powders and sprays. The war cut off most of our imports and there was a lot of trouble about it. We sent out a big report on it yesterday."

Comments: Works for Board of Economic Warfare.

Me—Why add this?

Arab—Pyrethrum grown in N. Africa. Why a big report on it now unless we're invading a place where we can get some?

6.—Remark: "We had quite a requisition for Silver Stars and it almost made me weep thinking what those boys who get them will have gone through."

Comments: Works for Quartermaster Corps.

Arab—Lot of medals, lot of men. Right?

Me—Yes. Silver Stars for gallantry in action. Commanding General would take them. It means infantry, artillery, tanks. Air Forces use some Silver Stars but go in more for D.F.C. and Air Medal.

7.—Remark: "I haven't heard from Jack in weeks. I'm afraid his next will have an A.P.O. on it."

Comments: Works for OWI (Doesn't matter in this case).

Me—I don't get this one.

Arab—Jack previously identified

as 2nd Lt. in Armored Infantry Battalion of First Armored Division. They were at some place in Calif. called Indio the last letter she got.

Me—Indio is Desert Training Center. Every child knows First Armored primed for North Africa.

8.—Remark: "This V-mail is really wonderful. Of course it will take time for it to catch on but we're getting ready to handle a big increase soon."

Comments: Works for Adjutant General's Office.

Arab—Big increase sounds like a lot more troops going over.

9.—Remark: "Me have a thrilling job? I don't know what's thrilling about typing all day on orders for goggles and mosquito bars."

Comments: Works for Quartermaster Corps.

Me—Goggles for sand and dust. Mosquito bars for tropical or semitropical country. Put them together and they spell desert. I hear they got one in N. Africa.

10.—Remark: "Almost every boy I knew at college went Navy. Funny, most of them got jobs skipping something called Higgins boats. They were so disgusted. They wanted PT boats. One of them was coming down this week end but his leave was canceled."

Comments: Works for WPB (Doesn't matter in this case).

Me—Higgins boats are landing boats for storming hostile shore.



"Let's go," I whispered.

Arab—A leave being canceled always makes me think an operation is on.

11.—Remark: "Those German tanks aren't so tough. After all, we haven't been asleep. Wait till they hit our new tank destroyers."

Comments: Works in Ordnance.

Me—I didn't know we had new tank destroyers. When was it announced?

Arab—Oh, Andy, I could have bitten my tongue off after I said it!

12.—Remark: "They pick such funny names for ships sometimes. Like the warship I heard about named the Jean Bart. Imagine naming a warship after a girl!"

Comments: Works for Navy.

Arab—Over my head.

Me—Jean Bart not girl's name. Probably name of some French naval hero. The Jean Bart is a French battleship. Known to be at Casablanca, in Morocco. She's heard some talk about it at the Navy Dept., or did a report mentioning it. I bet one landing is near Casablanca.

13.—Remark: "I thought we'd have a grand week end but Eddie could only get a six-hour pass and then go right back to camp, so my trip wasn't worth while. And he was so miserable. Everybody in his outfit had more inoculations."

Comment: Works for Treasury (Doesn't matter in this case).

Me—What outfit, buddy?

Arab—The Thirty-fourth Infantry Division.

Me—Kiss the boys good-by.

They're in a staging area getting processed before sailing.

14.—Remark: "Sometimes they put iodine in the water—a little more each time—to get the boys used to getting along on very little water. Brrr, it must taste awful."

Comments: Works for Army Ground Forces.

Arab—Three guesses where it's hardest to get enough water to drink.

Me—The desert, the desert, the desert.

15.—Remark: "It's not just a matter of shipping locomotives. American locomotives won't run on some of these narrow-gauge tracks."

Comments: Works for Transportation Corps.

Me—Notable area for narrow-

gauge tracks: North Africa.

Arab—Russia?

Me—Russia has extra-wide gauge.

16.—Remark: "He wrote me his hands were all over blisters from spending a week climbing down some kind of rope things on the side of a ship."

Comments: Works for OCD (Doesn't matter in this case.)

Me—The field censor should have knocked that out. He's on invasion drill, climbing down cargo nets into landing craft. Did she ever mention his outfit?

Arab—First Infantry Division. They're overseas already, she thinks in Scotland.

She started up the stairs, and I snapped, "Wait." My watch showed five minutes after ten. We had been in the house about two and a half hours. "Take it easy," I said.

"Maybe somebody's upstairs drinking up the Scotch. If we startled them they might get hiccups."

"I've been listening, Andy. And there hasn't been a sound."

"Swell. Because I wasn't listening. I figured all along that there wouldn't be any raid." I explained the way I had reasoned things out while we were driving here.

"But then why do you think they will come now? It could still be a trap."

"Let's go," I whispered.

Arab must have felt me go rigid. Her lips moved against my ear. "What is it?" she asked.

I didn't answer. I could feel my finger joints starting to ache from gripping the phone. I would have traded the world's greatest music for the soft lovely purr of electricity in that receiver. But there was nothing. Nothing at all. Just an ugly dead silence.

Arab breathed, "Is . . . is the wire cut?"

"Yes."

Her lips touched mine in the darkness. "It's been fun, Andy," she said, and I heard the snick of a safety catch on the Smith & Wesson going out of business.

I replaced the phone carefully. And, as my fingers relaxed, I heard a faint squeaking. Arab touched my arm.

"Don't look now," she whispered, "but here comes company. That's a window going up."

The thin shriek of the window came from a point somewhere in the living room. It was too dark to see anything, but we inched across the room toward the sound, located the right window, and pasted ourselves against the wall, one on each side. The wail of wood against wood went on and on, like a banshee, until I wanted to reach out and help raise the sash and get it over with. The noise ended at last, and for a while there was no sound except the sullen fluttering of the shade. A drop of sweat rolled down my face, clung with maddening persistence to the end of my nose, and finally fell. I heard a faint tick as it hit the floor. Arab, four feet away from me, had vanished. I couldn't even hear her breathing.

I went into a rabbit freeze, and it turned out that the rabbits have something there. It was the best thing I could have done. While I waited, paralyzed, I began to realize that the eyes were looking at me without seeing. They weren't adjusted to the blackness of the room.

The eyes weren't really glaring, either. They were wide and frightened. It was Renee Fielding. For a moment I couldn't think beyond that fact. I didn't draw the obvious conclusion that she wouldn't have been sent alone. I was too busy complimenting myself. The situation had called for a guy who could do nothing, and I had been better fitted for the role than all the steel-muscled hair-trigger heroes who ever lived.

Renee turned her head and tried to study the room. I wasn't worried. If she couldn't spot me she couldn't see anything. The only illumination was the gray ramp of light angling down from the window. As long as she stayed in it, the rest of the room would register blank. Apparently she decided that there were no lurking dangers. She climbed in slowly.

She got inside, stood up. Arab and I couldn't have worked it better with a rehearsal. I plastered my right hand over Renee's mouth and grabbed her wrist with my left. Arab locked her other wrist, whispered a few threats in her ear. Renee didn't struggle. We walked her quietly away from the window. Anybody watching from outside would have had to be very close to have noted anything suspicious.

"Cellar?" Arab whispered.

"It'll do."

We edged down the cellar steps. Our feet scraped concrete, and Arab said, "If you'll take over, I'll lock the cellar door and turn on a light."

"Make it a dim light," I said. "Tie a handkerchief or something over it before you turn it on. But first help me get her wrists in front of her so I can hold them with one hand."

I heard the faint sounds of Arab locking the cellar door and returning and stumbling around finding the small light bulb near the furnace. She turned it, and a pale orchid light filtered out through her party handkerchief.

"There," she said. She looked at me and said with a trace of irritation, "I hope you're not bored, Andy."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Games and Dolls Hold First Spot in Santa's Toyland

Busy With War Work, He Was Unable to Make New Metal Toys.

The celebration of V-J Day didn't come soon enough to put Santa Claus' toyland schedule to a peacetime basis. Although he will carry more than a \$200,000,000 pack of playthings this Christmas, less than 8 per cent of the toys under Yuletide trees will be of metal and most of these will be the simplest types of stamped-out metal.

There will be only a token showing of wheel toys, electric trains and mechanical toys of metal, a survey of toyland supplies in-



Dolls a big favorite.

icates, but better quality lines of wood and cardboard playthings are assured. Rubber toys are not expected to appear in any volume and plastic items will be limited to the same small quantities as last year due to material shortages.

The brightest spot on toyland is the doll parade and the parlor game sector where there are reported to be good supplies of many old favorites like Camelot and Monopoly that children and parents can enjoy together, although cardboard and dye-cut limitations have made new items scarce. Classic card game favorites like Rook, Pit and Crossword Lexicon have been produced in large volume, as they require a minimum of cardboard. Bonanza, combining the technique of Michigan and rummy, is another favorite that provides fun for all the family. Escape-type games that are easy to learn predominate.

Nation's Christmas Tree Was Dedicated in 1925

The Nation's Christmas Tree was so dedicated on Christmas Day, 1925.

The tree, one of the Sequoia gigantea, is estimated to be 267 feet tall and is located in General Grant National park, 64 miles east of Fresno, Calif.

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"O Come, All Ye Faithful"



Calling from all Churches throughout all the lands, with the hymn most often heard, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," carol singers have become a most vital part of every community's Christmas. Without the boys and girls singing in the Churches, in the homes and over the air, Christmas would lack the real spirit that it has acquired in this country.

Santa's Toy Outlook

Stuffed animals will be plentiful in Santa's pack, but Dydees, the bottle favorite that drank from a bottle and had its diapers changed, can't be expected until 1946 for V-J Day came too late to make rubber available for Christmas toys.

Doll furniture such as cradles, beds and high chairs will be available but in limited quantities. Doll carriages are being manufactured in volume but there will be only a limited number with metal parts.

ETERNAL STAR OF BETHLEHEM

The Wise Men may have been the only ones who actually saw the Star of Bethlehem.

But:

According to St. Matthew, when Herod heard that the Wise Men were seeking the Christ Child whose star they had seen in the east, he summoned the chief priests and scribes of the people and demanded of them where it had been predicted that the Christ should be born.

"And they said unto him, In Bethlehem of Judea: for thus it is written by the prophet."—St. Matthew 2:5.

It was written by the prophet—and nothing could prevent it.

And after the Wise Men had been directed to Bethlehem by Herod: " . . . lo, the star, which they had seen in the east, went before them till it came and stood over where the young Child was."

"When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy."—Matthew 2:9-10.

Apparently, even the Wise Men lost sight of the Star temporarily—hence they rejoiced when it returned to their vision after they had departed from Herod.

The Star of Bethlehem was neither kindled nor extinguished when Christ was born in Judea—it was written by the prophet, it has vanquished every despot from Herod to Hitler and survived every tyranny and cruelty that evil men could think of; and the hearts of men, turning from foul memories and associations, have—and shall—rejoice in the eternal light of righteousness and peace.

HOLD CHRISTMAS IN BETHLEHEM

All Bethlehem turns out on December 24 for the arrival of the Patriarch of Jerusalem—Cardinal of the Holy Land—who each year brings to Bethlehem an ancient effigy of the Infant Jesus, which



he lays in the manger within the cave where Christ was born.

Dramatically the procession approaches; heralded by a single horseman, his banner streaming aloft. A corps of native police mounted upon fiery Arabian horses follows, and then another single horseman upon a prancing black steed carrying the cross on high; the patriarch in his cardinal and ermine, mitred bishops, clergy in embroidered vestments and white robed acolytes—swinging golden censers—precede the jeweled pavilion of the Holy Child.

The procession enters the Church of the Nativity. The public is not permitted to witness the actual placing of the effigy, as that part of the church—built above the Cave of the Nativity—is under the jurisdiction of the Greek Orthodox church.

On Christmas Eve, members of all denominations assemble to sing carols above the birthplace of the Holy Child before midnight mass is solemnized in the Church of the Nativity.

Tails of Animals Have Many Different Functions

Tails of animals have 18 different functions, one of the most important being to balance the animal during locomotion, says Collier's. For example, the long tail as well as the long hind legs of the jumping mouse, zapus hudsonius of North America, enable this three-inch rodent to leap 40 times its own length.

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We have just a few boxes of Xmas cards left. If you want any come in or call us soon. The News-Bulletin Mokena 3521.

FOR COAL—All sizes, from the mines, gravel and general hauling. Call Albert Zeigler, New Lenox 2334. ctf

RADIOS REPAIRED—ALL MAKES AND MODELS. PORTABLE RADIO BATTERIES & RADIO TUBES. COOPER RADIO ELECTRIC. TEL. ORLAND 56J. p12:28

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HIGHEST Prices paid for your poultry. We pick up and weigh in your own yard, at any hour. Holmstrom and Bailey. Blue Island 2433 or Beverly 7414. p 12:14, 12:28, 1:11

WANTED: PROPERTY TO SELL If you wish to dispose of your home farm or real estate, see or phone Mr. Ward, Elmore Real Estate Imp. Co., 17700 Oak Park, Tel. Tinley Park 604, or Mr. Dodd evenings, Tinley Park 2180. ctf

WANTED—Heating oil customers. barrels loaned if needed; guaranteed quality and meter service tank wagon deliveries. John Cole, Sinclair Products, phone Orland Park 139R1. ctf

REAL ESTATE WANTED—if you plan on selling your property contact the Barton organization of Orland Park. Orland 225R. 1:4p

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FOR SALE—For baby, folding play pen, rocking horse, folding bath table. R. R. Bickler, 1st house so. of 143rd St. on Greenland Ave., Orland Park. 1c

CURTAIN Service. 179th and Harlem Phone 2227 Tinley Park. p 12:28

FOR SALE—Baled timothy hay and straw in lots to suit. Colcord, 167th St. Wabash RR. Tel. 53M2 Orland, 1:26p

FOR SALE—13 cu. feet deep freezer, never used. Ed Kooyenga, 131st and Crawford. p 12:21

FOR SALE—First Christmas trees of the season from \$1.50 to \$4.50. All Montana balsams. Tinley Park Radio Shop, 17352 Oak Park Ave., Tinley. p 12: 21

DAIRY COWS—Receiving another load of those good northern cows Dec. 14th. Mostly all fresh. T. B. and Bangs sheets can be furnished. Also a few breeding bulls. H. F. Yunker, 133rd & Harlem Ave. 12:1c

WANTED—Boys ice skates, size 8 to 9, trade or sell a size 7 in good condition. Paul Ehrlich, New Lenox phone 3681. 1p

WANTED—One western and one English saddle. Must be good. Will pay top dollar. Ray Sullivan, 143rd and R. 45, Tel. Orland Park 179 1c

PERSONAL—V-P Members. See you at the Village Players New Years Eve Party Main ballroom, Navajo Fields Country club. Full course dinner, set ups, music, fun. B.Y.O.L. if you desire. Starts 10:30 pm. \$5.50 for two. Call Palos Pak 580M for tickets. Jack. 12:28

WANT TO HIRE man to work 240 acre farm. Can also live on place at 147 Central Ave. Walter Schilling, Phone Homewood 8000Y2. 1p

LOST—White 4 months old puppy. Brown eyes, brown floppy ears, brown and black saddle spots on back. answers to name Daisy. Followed girl to town Saturday and was last seen at Cavett's Drug Store, Reward. C. Shery man, Tinley Park 740. 1p

WANTED—Black kitten. will have good home Phone Orland Park 214M2. 1c

FOR electrical light and power wiring and motor repair call Tinley Park 770. c12:28

HAVE YOUR VACUUM CLEANER FACTORY REBUILT OR REPAIRED COOPER RADIO ELECTRIC, CALL ORLAND 159. 12:28 p

POP CORN—The most tender, delicate pop corn you have ever tasted. Get your winter's supply now. Clarence Beagley, 1st farm south of 159th St. East side of 94th Ave. Tel. Orland 136J2 1:11-46

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WANTED—To buy 2 row Mounted corn picker for F20 tractor in good condition W. B. Mooney, New Lenox 2772. c 1:4

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FAT STEERS for butchering, weighing 750 to 850 lbs. at 16¢ per lb. Wm. Keuch, 175th St. 1p

FOR SALE—New 22 caliber rifle and shells; 32 cal. colt automatic, small electric saw and motor; electric grinder; child's toy sound effect studio, used metal roofing. Tel. Frankfort 2212. 1p

FOR SALE—Coro Clipping machine. Fred A. Schmaedeke, Ridgeland Ave., and Vollmer Rd. Tinley Park Tel. 2134 1p

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FOR SALE—Boys large size bicycle. Heavy and well built, good condition. Tel. Tinley Park 539. c12:28

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Tinley Park News

The Friday Pinochle Club met last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Clarence Norris for their Christmas party. Prizes went to Mrs. Wilma Meyer, Mrs. Vera Van Antwerp, Mrs. Lily Fahrholz and Mrs. Vi Cross. Gifts were exchanged and Mrs. Norris served a very delicious midnight supper.

Sgt. Richard Mason arrived in New York last Sunday from Europe and hopes to be home by Christmas. He has served 30 months in the European theatre of war in England and Germany.

Marvin F. Bettenhausen, MM2-c, US NR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bettenhausen, of 171st St., Tinley Park, is on his way home.

Bettenhausen is one of 1,300 high-point Navy veterans whom the "Magic Carpet" is bringing back to the States aboard the USS Thetis Bay, which arrived in San Francisco on December 14.

Henry Boldt, CM2-c received his honorable discharge December 12 from the U. S. Navy at Little Creek, Va. and is now at home in Tinley Park. Henry spent 22 months in service at Great Lakes, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., where he was graduated from the Radar school, and at Little Creek, Va. where he has been stationed since.

Sgt. Elmer Steinborn of Tinley Park has arrived home after receiving his honorable discharge Dec. 1 at Ft. Sheridan. Elmer served four years and eight months altogether, 2 years of which were spent in Hawaii and Pelile Islands in the Infantry. He returned home with his buddy Richard Hilger of Matteson, with whom he entered the service and his been with him for the entire time he has been in service. Elmer wears the Pre-Pearl Harbor ribbon, the American Defense and Asiatic Pacific ribbons with 1 battle star, the Victory medal, Good conduct ribbon and the Combat Infantry badge.

Five members of the Bremen Auxiliary to Post 2791 Veterans of Foreign Wars, visited Dwight hospital Tuesday Dec. 18 to help decorate 75 Christmas trees, one for each room.

The ladies brought gifts to be placed on all the trees.

The next meeting will be December 26 in the Veteran's Club rooms.

—Alfreda L. Willman, Pub. chr.

The Bremen Unit of Home Bureau held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Earl Siemsen, 157th and Central Ave. Saturday December 15, at 8 pm. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. E. C. Grunst, Mrs. Dick Wille Jr. and Mrs. Fred Jenner presented the major project "How to be a Gracious Hostess" and proved very interesting at this time of year with the holidays just around the corner. One thing to remember is the Golden Rule. The gracious hostess is the woman who provides for the happiness of her guests.

After a short meeting the balance of the evening was devoted to entertaining the husbands. Music, games and magic were provided by Mrs. Johnson chairman of entertainment, after which St. Nick paid us a visit with gifts for all present. Mrs. Douglas, refreshment chairman, provided a buffet lunch and a most enjoyable evening was spent by all.

—F. E. Jeffords, Publicity chairman

John V. Barry Jr., 81-c Box 211 Tinley Park, has received his honorable discharge.

Cpl. Raleigh Bagby is home on a holiday furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark entertained the latter's parents, Mrs. DeBrew and daughter and Mrs. Anna Clemens at a Christmas party in their home last Sunday. The Clarks are planning to go to New Jersey to spend Christmas with the parents of Mr. Clark.

Mrs. Paul Jährmarkt, entertained

the Sewing club at a Turkey dinner in her home Monday. Mrs. Koepke of Evanston was an out of town guest. Mrs. Krauss, a club member was absent because of a tumor on her eye.

The Royal Neighbors Christmas party which was to have been held Tuesday was not held due to cold weather.

Wallace Mohr was an emergency appendectomy patient Tuesday in St. Francis hospital.

Mrs. Wm. Schoeneck entertained the S. T. Bunco club in her home at a Christmas party Monday.

Mrs. C. C. Bettenhausen spent several days this week with her daughter in Harvey.

Tinley Park Ladies Bowling League

Bettenhausen's Hdw.	29 13
INR Beatty Lmbr. Co.	23 19
Carl's Standard Serv.	22 20
Saenger Hall Tavern	22 20
English Garage	21 21
Chuck's Mkt.	18 24
Hick's Mkt.	17 25
Vogt's Dept. Store	16 26

Bettenhausen's Hdw. won two games from Carl's Standard Service, Hick's Mkt. won two from Saenger Hall Tavern, INR Beatty Lmbr. won two games from Vogt's Dept. Store, and English's won two games from Chuck's Mkt. In the individual class Minnie Stricker had high series with 500 and high game with 179.

Tinley Park Men's Bowling League

Chuck's Gro. and Mkt.	26 19
English Bros. Garage	26 19
Tinley Park Dairy	25 20
Mel's Service Station	24 21
Vogt's Dept. Store	22 23
F. Goebel's Ins.G	21 24
Service Bakery	20 25
Hick's Mkt.	16 26

Mel's Service Station won two from F. Goebel's Ins., Tinley Park Dairy won three games from Hick's Mkt., Vogt's Dept. Store won two from Service Bakery, Chuck's Gro. and Mkt. won two from Service Bakery.

In the individual class G. Swanson took high series with 552 and Mel Keup took high game with 217.

St. Geo. Bowling League

Doc's team	25 14
Mae's team	24 15
Tony's team	21 18
Lottie's team	20 19
Teresa's team	20 19
John's team	17 22
Bob's team	16 23
Agnes's team	13 26

Mae's team won three games from Teresa's John's team won two from Bob's, Tony's team won two from Does, Agnes's team won two from Lottie.

Hi game 189 and hi series 496 for evening go to George Spellman.

The Royal Neighbor Juveniles of Tinley Park will have their Christmas party December 22 at 2 pm. in the Bremen Township Veterans hall.

Please bring your gift for the gift exchange. Don't forget the date, Saturday, December 22.

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FOR SALE—Tiny toy fox Terrier puppies, healthy and smart. Tel. Tinley Park 610. 1c

FOR SALE—1937 Plymouth four door deluxe sedan, radio and heater. Runs good. All good tires. Price to sell \$300. Terms can be arranged. Young bull ready for service, one fresh Swiss cow Ray Sullivan, 143rd and R 45, Tel. Orland Park 179. 1c

FOR SALE—1 pair men's ice skates, size 9, \$4.00; 1 pair Artie's size 9, like new \$2.00. Wm. Schellhase, Mokena 1p

FOR SALE—15 little pigs 10 weeks old. 1 Chester white boar hog. Stanley Cooper, Orland Park 216R. c12:28

FOR SALE—Pony, saddle and bridle, reasonable. Also rabbits, Muscovy ducks, Gilbert Borsted, New Lenox 2518. p 12:28

WANTED TO BUY—Small or medium size house trailer. Gilbert Borsted New Lenox 2518. p 12:28

FOR SALE—2 Aladdin lamps; 1 Monitor gasoline iron; 1 Household kitchen water softener; Boys all wool plaid macinaw; Boys all wool tweed suit; Baby wicker set of 4 swinging drawers. Wright Woods, Maple Road, Tel. New Lenox 3126. c12:28

FOR SALE—5 ft. Allis Chalmers combine, good shape. Papec silage cutter 14 inch nearly new. 9 Mo. Registered Holstein bull calf vaccinated for bangs. J. W. Kimmel, 88th Ave. and 167th St. Tinley Park. Tel. Tinley 2315. p 1:4

FOR SALE—8 month Short Horn bull roasting and stewing chickens, 3 milk goats, 3 geese, 1 pig. Phone Orland 218. p 12:28

FOR SALE—Dressed geese, 40c lb. 17801 Ridgeland, Tinley Park. p12:28

FOR SALE—Wagons, steel sleds, metal wheelbarrow, and scooters. Russel Bettenhausen, 133rd and Ridgeland Tinley Park 2192. 1p

In The Churches

ST. WILFRED'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Lincoln Estates, Frankfort, Ill.
Mass 10:30 A.M. each Sunday except the third and fifth Sundays of each month at 8 am.
Rev Benedict J. Pfeifer, O. F. M.
Sunday 10:30 AM. Holy Mass. Sunday afternoon 2 to 4 Confessions for Christmas. Christmas Day 8 am. the Mass and Communion.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

MOKENA, ILLINOIS
One Mass each Sunday at 8:30 A.M., except the 3rd and 5th Sunday of each month at 10 00 A. M.
Saturday 4 to 5:50 and 7 to 8:30 pm. Confession for Christmas. Sunday 8:30 AM. Holy Mass. Monday from 4 to 5:30 and from 7 to 8:30 pm. Confessions.

Christmas Eve 12 o'clock Midnight High Mass. Christmas Day 10 am. the last Mass.

ST. GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Tinley Park, Ill.
Masses: 8:30 and 10:30 every Sunday morning.
Christian Doctrine Instructions: Saturdays: 9:30 a. m.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

ORLAND PARK, ILL.
Mass each Sunday morning at 8 a. m. and 9 a. m.

ST. JUDE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Rhinholts
New Lenox, Illinois
Masses every Sunday at 8 and 10 A. M.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Tinley Park, Illinois
Alb. Buddenhagen, Pastor
German service 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 am.
English service 11:00 a.m.

PALOS PARK PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. Harry B. Parker, Pastor
Ronald Dix, Superintendent
Church school 9:45 A. M.
Worship Service 11 A. M.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

New Lenox
Rev. James G. Manz, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 A. M.
Divine Services: 10:30 A. M.

CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Onward With Christ
143rd St. and West Ave.,
Orland Park, Illinois.
A. Lach, Pastor
English Service every Sunday 10 a. m. Sunday School 9:00 a. m.
German services 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays at 9:00 a. m.

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A. W. Gode, Pastor
Sunday School 9:00 A. M.
Public Worship 10:00 A. M.
Bible class 9:00 am.

Wednesday 8 p. m., Midweek service
We preach Christ Crucified.
You are cordially invited to attend Christmas Eve 7:30 Children's Service. Christmas Day: 10:00 AM. Worship. New Year's Eve 8 pm. Worship. New Year's Day 10:00 AM. Worship.

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159th & Oak Park Ave. Tinley Park
Pastor: Rev. O. Woelzlein, Telephone 2329

Teacher of the Parochial school: Mr. Harry R. Voigt.

German services 9:30 A. M.

English Services 10:30 A. M.

Sunday school 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School teachers meet every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Adult Membership class meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Choir rehearsal every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Ladies Aid meets every second Thursday of the month at 1:30 pm.

Children's Christmas program Dec. 24 at 7:30 pm. Christmas Day, German Service 9:30 AM. English Service 10:30 AM.

New Year's Eve Dec 31 English Service with Holy Communion at 7:30 pm. Announcements for Communion on Dec. 27th.

New Year's Day German service at 9:00 AM. with Holy Communion. English service at 10:30 am.

You are always welcome to worship at "Trinity."

THE CHURCH OF GOD, Oak Forest

The Church of God of Oak Forest has moved to 159th St. and Cicero in the building formerly occupied by the Full Gospel Mission. Sunday School and services ill continue on usual schedule.

Sunday School 9:45. Evening service 7:00 thru midnight.

The Full Gospel Mission has discontinued services.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Lincoln Estates

Rev. Olaf Nelson, Pastor.

Sunday school 10:00

MOKENA

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my thanks to all friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness shown me during the sudden death of my beloved husband and Daddy. Also to Rev. Wm. Reiman for his comforting words, to the singers those who donated their cars and to those who sent floral bouquets.

MRS. DOROTHY HENTSCH and SON

Mrs. Anton Benson has been ill in her home the past week with the flu. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spiess and children of Chicago spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Spiess.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cappel entertained their pinocle club in their home Saturday evening.

Mr. Charles Schmidt who has been ill in the home of his mother Mrs. Emma Schmidt was removed to Illinois Research hospital in Chicago recently where he is improving.

Mrs. Rose Moriarty and Mr. and Mrs. Delano Vessels left Tuesday morning for Brownville, Texas where they will spend the winter with Mr. Vessels' parents.

Cpl. Gordon Benson who was to have sailed for home the first of Oc-

Alpine

by Mrs. Roy Lembke
Telephone Orland 53J2

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gortmaker were visitors in Alpine last Thursday. They drove here from San Pedro, Cal., following George's discharge from the navy Dec. 19 and are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Gortmaker's parents in Chicago.

Wm. Maddox arrived at the Gilbert Sayers home Saturday to spend a few days with Alpine friends. He left Tuesday to spend the Xmas holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Anderson attended their pinocle club Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roberts in Mokena.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDonald and family of Chicago were recent visitors at the Bartel Andersen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lembke and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lembke and daughter Anne attended a birthday party in Maywood Wednesday evening given by the Howard Lembke's in honor of their son Howard Jr.'s 4th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shroats visited in Chicago Wednesday evening with the Raymond C. Day family and their cousin Edward Kirk. Ed was just released from the Navy after over two years of service both in the ETO and the S. W. Pacific. Alpine folks will remember him as a former resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meredith and family moved last weekend from the Fenwick home to their newly purchased home in Palos Park.

Miss Laverne Anderson is expected home from Urbana this weekend to spend the holiday vacation with her parents the Jesse R. Andersons.

Miss Mary Scharf spent last Thursday evening in Blue Island with Miss Virginia Simon.

Miss Augusta Noga of Chicago spent the weekend with the Ernest Hambrick family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Felsch and daughters Sandra and Patsy spent Friday in Chicago with Mrs. Felsch's sister, Mrs. Martin Mitchell and family. Their brother Robert Splitter was also present following his recent discharge from service. He had been overseas in the ETO and served in Germany about 28 months of the four years he was in service. He plans to visit friends in Libertyville, Ill. and then will return to his parents and his home in Friendship, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Janes entertained at dinner in their home Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Fred Michaels of River Forest.

Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Fenwick are awaiting Dr. Fenwick's turn to be mustered out of the Army in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Erickson were among the guests at the Fred Knudsen home at a recent birthday party. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Benson of Mokena were also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Swanberg of Manhattan were Saturday evening guests in the Charles Erickson home.

Tommy Gilchrist recently received his discharge from service in California and was met there by his parents who brought him home on Friday. He visited friends in Alpine Friday afternoon on his way to Chicago.

Walter Bernard will celebrate his birthday December 23 and Mr. Wm. Bernard will celebrate his birthday December 25.

The Alex Mitera family are planning to attend an Xmas party in Chicago Sunday evening which will be given at the home of Robert Pacquette's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stoner and infant son have returned to their home in Jackson, Mich. after spending the past week with their parents in Alpine and other relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Janusz from Chicago and some friends from Sheboygan, Wis. were Sunday visitors at the Leslie Janes home.

Donna Rickerman celebrated her birthday on Monday Dec. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Erickson attended the Wilmington Local Annual Pure Milk meeting and family night held at Mazon Monday evening. Dinner was served at the Methodist church at 7:00 pm, followed by the business meeting held in the Mazon High school.

The pupils of the Maue school and their teacher Miss Ethel Goddard started their Xmas vacation Tuesday morning. The directors decided to close the school earlier for the holiday vacation because only 6 pupils had been attending regularly, the rest have been confined to their homes by illness.

Speakers were Mr. C. Erickson and Mr. F. J. Knox. There was excellent entertainment including movies.

tober was taken ill with yellow jaundice and has since been confined to a hospital in Japan.

Mrs. Frank Roamer entertained at a Stork shower in her home in Rockdale last Wednesday in honor of her niece Mrs. Martin Carlson of Mokena. Last Sunday Mrs. Carlson's mother Mrs. Rene Guindon entertained at a Stork shower for her in their home.

The condition of Mr. John Martin, is about the same. He is still a patient in St. James hospital in Chicago Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Karlson of Woodland Circle, announce the marriage of their daughter Mildred to Cecil Sidney Morris of Texas. Mildred was recently discharged from the WACS and saw service in England, France, and Germany. Sgt. Morris also served in the European theatre. The happy couple are now honeymooning, touring in the south, but will return to spend the holidays with the Karlsons. Their neighbors and friends of the Circle wish them the best of luck and happiness.

Sgt. Wm. S. Calder Jr. son of Mrs. L. H. Kellogg of Mokena, arrived home Sunday after two years spent in the Pacific with the 4th Marine Division. He wears the President's Unit Citation, Bronze Star, Letter of Commendation with ribbon, Asiatic Pacific Theatre ribbon with three stars and the Victory medal. He was discharged at Camp Pendleton, Cal. After spending a few days with his sister Miss Virginia Calder, he is home for the Christmas holidays. In February he leaves to attend the University in San Diego.

Women's Service Club News
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Homerding received Christmas greetings from their son Bob in Darmstadt, Germany.

Chas. Burkhardt received his discharge from Ft. Sheridan recently and is now in Mokena.

Pvt. Richard Sippel is enjoying a 10 day furlough at home.

The Service Club received Christmas Greetings from E. H. Gillette who is now aboard the USS Doyen.

The Service Club extends Christmas Greetings to all the boys in Service, wherever you are, and hope you have a nice Christmas and that you have all received your remembrance from the Club.

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The Bankers jumped into a two game lead when they swept three games from the Oilers, while the Smokers dropped three games to the on rushing Robins who took possession of second place. The V-Eighters won two games from the last place Paperhangers.

Looks like a good race as the teams go into the second half and put on their stretch drives. At present the Bankers hold a two game lead but on past performances of previous seasons they don't fare so well at the finish. On the other hand the Robins who are strong finishers are only two games out of the lead and have a good chance of capturing the title. The third place Smokers are weak on the finish so their chances are slim. The Oilers and V-Eighters are both strong in the stretch and can take the lead if the two top teams falter. The Paperhangers, a strong team, has had hard luck the first half and will need a sudden change of fortune to hoist them up to the top.

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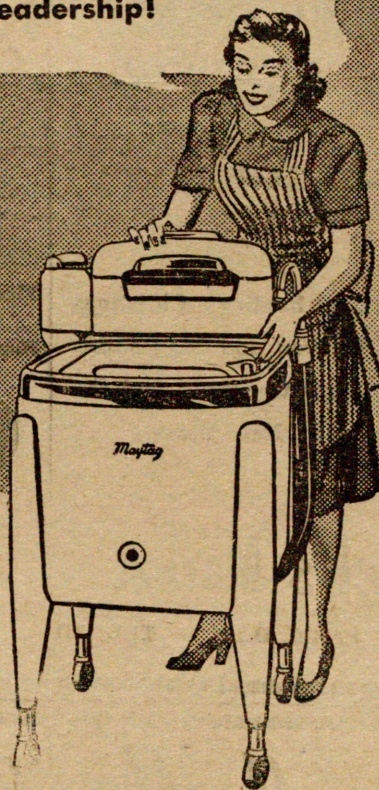
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Virginia Sass

The annual Christmas dinner party of the Woman's Club was held in the home of Mrs. Loren Sass last Tuesday. Mrs. Russell Lauffer was co-hostess. A pot luck dinner was served at noon from a long table appointed with a cookie Christmas tree, which was cleverly made by Mrs. Chas. Seivert, and lighted candles. Mrs. Royal Corp presided at the meeting and led in the pledge to the flag. Routine reports were given by members. Mrs. G. W. Bush presented the program which she opened by reading the Christmas scripture from Matthew, verses 1-12. Mrs. Edw. Sproat accompanied the group in the singing of several carols. Mrs. Francis Nelson gave an article, "The Christmas Carol Begins". "Our First Christmas Tree" was presented by Mrs. Stuart Vanderbilt. A gift exchange was held and secret pals were revealed with gifts. The January hostesses will be Mrs. Everett Bell and Mrs. Walter Haas.

Members of the Freeman Fellowship met in the church Friday evening for

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their Christmas party. Games were played. A gift exchange was enjoyed around a lighted Christmas tree. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Lauffer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lauffer and Mr. and Mrs. Harwood Stellwagon and family attended the Pure Milk supper Friday night in St. John's church in Mokena.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brock spent Sunday with friends in Symerton.

Mrs. Jane Casson is spending several days in the M. Mitchell home near Pontiac.

Mrs. Alice Storm of Joliet, was a guest last week of Mrs. Madge Storm. Mr. Chas. Dale, Sr. is recovering from the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Sproat and daughter Bonnie spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Minnie Sproat.

Memorial services were held at 3:00 p.m. in the Marley church on Sunday, in honor of Elwood Dale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dale. Rev. Paul Saunders and Daniel Sass sang "Have Thine Own Way", accompanied by Mrs. Edw. Sproat.

Mrs. Emma Selk of Plymouth, Neb., was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sass.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith opened

their home to the Sunday Evening Club Sunday night. The program was presented by Ray Bell. A gift exchange was featured and refreshments were enjoyed and then the group went to New Lenox to bowl.

Mr. Dan Crandall of Worth, was a visitor in the Alfred Sproat home Wednesday afternoon.

A Christmas program will be presented in the Maple Street school to-night by pupils and their teacher, Miss Cagwin.

Miss Lois Sproat of Urbana was home for the weekend to attend as a bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Marian Palmer and Lt. Alan Anderson, which was solemnized Saturday afternoon in St. John's English Lutheran church in Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Vanderbilt were entertained at dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Smith in Aurora.

Mrs. Walter Bridge was a delegate to a D.A.R. meeting in the Wedgewood Room of Marshall Field's in Chicago Friday.

Cpl. Harold Spiecker landed in Virginia Sunday. He served over 2 years in the European theatre of operations.

Mrs. Stuart Vanderbilt spent Friday in Chicago with friends.

Mrs. Loren Sass was hostess at a Christmas dinner party for the Patriotic Workers club in her home Friday night. A three course dinner was served at 6 o'clock from a table centered with a miniature Santa and his sleigh and lighted candles. Games and a gift exchange were enjoyed. The group voted to send \$10 to the Prairie Farmer WLS Christmas Neighbors club in Chicago. The club will meet in January with Miss Mary Gorham.

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Maple Street Arbor of Gleaners was held Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bell. Officers elected were: Chief Gleaner, Julian Gorham, vice chief Gleaner, Harwood Stellwagon, Chaplain Loren Sass, Secretary, James D. Frazer, Conductor, Ralph Bell, Conductress Mrs. Beatrice Corp, Lecturer, Mrs. Minnie Blodgett, Inner Guard Herbert Corp, Outer Guard, Mrs. Lila Sievert, Flower Committee, Mrs. Adella Sproat, Mrs. Minnie Blodgett and James D. Frazer, and the Social committee, Julian Gorham, Harwood Stellwagon, Loren Sass, James D. Frazer, Ralph Cutler, Walter Haas and Leo Ruettiger. Mr. Julian Gorham presided at the business session and Mr. James Frazer gave a brief talk. After the meeting the group played cards and refreshments were served.

Freeman Fellowship will meet this Sunday night. Mrs. Iva Sproat will be the leader and her subject is "The Unselfish Spirit."

Francis Miller F1-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, called his family Monday morning from Chicago, telling them of his recent arrival in the states and that he would soon be home. He has served several months in the Pacific area. His wife and son have been residing with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob McGuire.

The December meeting of the Missionary Society was held Thursday in the church with Mrs. Iva Bell, Mrs. Hazel Bell, Mrs. Mable Bell, and Mrs. Florence Haas as hostesses. Dinner was served at noon. Mrs. Eleanor Nelson was the program leader and her topic was, "The Christian Home". A gift exchange was held around a Christmas tree.

The second annual Carol and Candle lighting service will be held tonight, December 21st, at 8:00 pm. in the Marley church. This will be a chance for everyone to sing the beloved Christmas carols and hymns in the beautiful setting of the candle lighted church. With some of the less familiar carols being sung by the Senior and Junior Choirs, the service will be a real expression of the Christmas spirit.

A very impressive service is being planned for Christmas Eve by the Marley Sunday school. "Christmas Is For Everyone", a pageant in five scenes tells the story of the true meaning of Christmas.

An old couple, who all their lives have lived in seclusion, far up on a mountain top, and who had never heard of Christmas, learn what it means from the children of the village. A reader will tell of the beautiful customs of Christmas as the children reenact the scenes. The climax comes as the children depict the true meaning of Christmas and an angel appears reading the scriptures of the first Christmas.

The junior choir, dressed in flowing robes will act as a living screen thru out the pageant. The Senior Choir will assist. Recitations will be given by members of the Little Sunbeam class.

A visit from Santa Claus, weather permitting, is expected later in the evening.

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Flight to Success! As an Ambassador from Chicago a distinguished advertising executive, James M. Cleary, recently made the flight to London. He had an active part in having our USA chosen home of the United Nations Organization.

During a pleasant chat, Mr. Cleary told me it took only nine hours to cross the ocean from Newfoundland to Ireland. But, almost seven hours on buses and trains to reach the London hotel. Much comment has been made by the American press and public asking why planes don't land closer to London. And, M. Cleary explained that the US Army is now using the only air port near London capable of taking large planes, and has not yet opened the field to commercial flights.

On the trip across, Mr. Cleary experienced a thrill when he looked down and saw ice cakes, then breakers, and realized he was above the North Atlantic, beyond Labrador.

The English were wonderful to all members of the committees, but food there was so inadequate Mr. Cleary lost 12 pounds. For example, it was almost impossible to purchase a glass of milk and all eggs served were powdered.

Coming back, the airplane take off point was Shannon, Ireland. The airport there, operated by the Irish government is one of the finest Mr. Cleary has ever seen. In the air he asked the stewardess why she chose the cross-ocean trek. She answered, "Flying is the only normal way to travel, and I've been crossing oceans by air now for three years." She gave statistics to prove that flying is safer than any other transportation.

Nearing Chicago Mr. Cleary flew over the Studebaker proving grounds at South Bend, Indiana. And, had the satisfaction of getting a "bird's eye" view of something he planned years ago, the word Studebaker spelled out in pine trees.

In conclusion, Mr. Cleary said Chicago has a good chance of being chosen The City by UNO. Boston and New York are closer to the East Coast and have a great deal to offer. But some countries prefer the West Coast, Chicago would be the ideal compromise. We offer every facility, and the beautiful site of the last World's Fair.

One thing is certain, men like Mr. Cleary, winging their way over the world, spread the honest good will of America!

Ski Flying. Snow to me, means fun on the wing. It means the beauty of a plane with landing gear of "silver" skis silhouetted against a winter sky. It means swifter ground taxiing, surprisingly quick take-offs because of almost complete lack of friction. Landing is like putting the plane down on feathers you can hardly believe you're down. Skis are on the Cubs at Rubinkam as this is written. For lots of Christmas-time sky fun, try what I call "Skifling."

Highways to Skyways: Last Saturday while driving to the Airport, I stopped at Roseland Motor Sales at 112th St., for some car adjustments.

Frank Kammer, and A. T. Shere arrived from Yakima, Wash., to get the Douglas Dolphin they bought here. The Dolphin has two three hundred and thirty H. P. Wright engines and will wing the men to Billings, Montana in about 18 hours.

Skywriting: Merry Christmas everyone.



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SUPPORTERS of the Ivy League policy of no football scholarships or pay, and those who believe in such scholarships and big-time football, are still tangled up in an argument that is now 40 years old. The correct answer is that there is room enough for both but there is no reason why they should meet in competitions that are almost certain to be uneven and unfair.

Football needs badly the restraining influence of the Ivy League and other conference leaders to keep from running completely wild in the scramble for talent all over the map. But there is also something to the argument that many poorer students would be unable to get a college education except from the rewards that football offers through scholarships and other financial aids.

"Why," one of the leading coaches in the country asked me, "shouldn't a poor boy have the chance to use his football ability to pay his way through college? I have been a football coach for well over 20 years and I could tell you of hundreds of such boys who have received college educations and moved far up in life, who except for football would have had no such chance to improve. Why should so many of these be barred simply because they are poor? It is much easier on the football coach to have this steady pressure of developing a winning team every season removed. Today in many cases, this matter of digging up material is the toughest part of a coach's job. It is much easier to build character than it is to build a winner."

Give Help to Local Boys

"This part of your argument is O.K.," we replied. "But what about this ranging for material 1,000 to 2,000 miles away, scouring the country for prep school or high school stars in a hot competitive race—where many are only given courses they can handle without risking any brain collapse?"

"This," said the veteran coach, "isn't right. Players in the main who draw scholarships or help should be taken from nearby places. But how are you going to stop the alumni from cutting in? Or certain colleges who have smart but well-covered recruiting systems that look after the job? I like to see southern teams made up of southern players, eastern teams of eastern players and western teams of western players. But I don't see how you are going to stop it."

It is for this reason that college conferences or groups are needed to establish certain set standards. Otherwise all competition will be cockeyed. Colleges that don't allow football scholarships have no business playing against those that do. They are not evenly matched. This also applies to scholarship standards. I could give you any number of examples concerning young stars who tried to enter certain colleges and failed to make the grade. They then entered other colleges with much lower scholastic standards to return and run over the stricter schools. This is strictly unfair from every angle. Any one can see that. It is for this reason the stricter colleges should play together and let the big timers fight it out among themselves.

The first and main purpose of college should not be sport but education. Sport, however, is a strong and important sideline. There are many who are equipped to handle a much higher form of learning or education than others are. But the main idea is to give both groups a chance to improve—even if many can only work along elementary lines.

It is for this reason that laxity in the way of scholarships and other help has its place for certain groups that otherwise might be barred from any form of college or educational life.

Room for Ivy League

But this doesn't mean there isn't a major spot for the Ivy League or Eastern conference or any conference that decides to set up certain higher standards and see that these are enforced, as far as they can be enforced in a human world.

Some time back one of our leading educators, who loved football, made this important point, "There is too much 'sock and not enough Socrates' in our college life today. I am afraid there is a danger of our century's athletics going the way they did in ancient Greece, where becoming a thorough abuse.

We are now moving rapidly into a new age where brain is going to be much more important than brawn. This doesn't mean that there isn't still a tremendous need for better physical improvement and development. As a nation, outside of our limited top athletic crust, we are still far shy in the way of physical improvement for the mass, for those who need it most. But this situation isn't going to be helped by giving most of our time and attention to the winning stars, who need it least. After all "A fair field and no favor" is the basis of all true competition.



EDITOR'S NOTE: This newspaper, through special arrangement with the Washington Bureau of Western Newspaper Union at 1616 Eye Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., is able to bring readers this weekly column on problems of the veteran and serviceman and his family. Questions may be addressed to the above Bureau and they will be answered in a subsequent column. No replies can be made direct by mail, but only in the column which will appear in this newspaper regularly.

Regional Expansion

In line with the Veterans administration's objective of taking the administration out to the "grass-roots" of the country, rather than centralizing the organization in Washington, Administrator Omar N. Bradley has announced the opening of 21 new centrally-located regional offices and the contracting for approximately 300 advisement centers.

Regional downtown offices were opened in Des Moines, Wichita, Atlanta, Minneapolis, San Francisco, Portland, Indianapolis, Los Angeles, Muskogee, Okla., Phoenix, Helena, Mont., Detroit, Milwaukee, Cleveland, Chicago, Newark, Hartford, Charleston, W. Va., and Charlotte, N. C.

New advisement centers were opened at Greenville, S. C.; Benedict college, Columbia, S. C.; University of Kansas at Kansas City, Mo.; Tuskegee institute, Tuskegee, Ala.; Eastern Oregon college at La Grande, Ore., and Superior State Teachers college, Superior, Wis. Services of the advisement centers are available to all veterans planning to continue their education or take vocational or rehabilitation training either under public law 16 or the G.I. bill of rights.

Regional offices function as the operational offices of the administration. Individual case records are maintained at these offices and claims are rated and adjudicated. Almost all benefits administered by the administration can be handled at the regional office level.

Questions and Answers

Q. In July, 1944, my brother was killed on Guam. I was made his beneficiary in his insurance policy. But before he went across he made a will that has never come to light and this is causing some trouble among the heirs as he was single. Another brother in service says a duplicate will was made and kept on record somewhere. Could you tell me where this will is kept?—R. A. B., Houston, Mo.

A. Of course we would have no knowledge where the will might be. You might write to the finance officer of his outfit. If you are referring to national life insurance, the money will be paid to whoever was named beneficiary in the policy regardless of any will.

Q. Would it be possible for a soldier to get a release from the army, if he is 25 years old, has a wife and three small children, who live in the country with no modern conveniences. The wife's health is not good and a 21-month-old baby daughter must have an operation for removal of a bone growth on her foot. He is now somewhere in Japan aboard a ship?—Mrs. M. E. M., Port Allegany, Pa.

A. He is eligible to apply for release because of the three children.

Q. I have a friend who has been in the army since December, 1944. He left the states on July 2, 1945 and is now in Japan. He has no dependents and is 19 years old. Will you please tell me how many points he has and how long it will be before he is sent back to the states?—Miss D. P., Dennison, Ohio.

A. He has approximately 16 points as of December 5, 1945 and needs 55 to become eligible for discharge. He probably has many more months to serve.

Q. Will a mother who has a son killed in action, and who is physically unable to make her own support, lose her pension if she marries? Will a father's pension be discontinued if he marries?—Mr. T. S., Jackson, Tenn.

A. In the case of a parent, the question of marriage is not considered. The pension is based upon dependency and whether the parent, mother or father, has sufficient income to keep them.

Q. My son was killed in Italy October 1 a year ago. His wife is named as beneficiary in his insurance but hasn't received any yet. What is the delay?—A mother, Brownsville, Tenn.

A. Have you filed a claim for your insurance? Suggest that you write to your nearest Veterans administration office, probably at Nashville or Memphis, set out all the facts and am sure you will get some action.

Q. When a soldier has been through hell of the battlefield for two years and has been discharged with a tired and nervous condition which can be cleared up by being at home and rest, how can he get this psychoneurotic name off his discharge so he can go to college?—J. J. C., Westby, Wis.

A. You have evidently received a medical discharge and would suggest that you make application to your regional Veterans administration for a re-examination and an appeal from the medical findings.

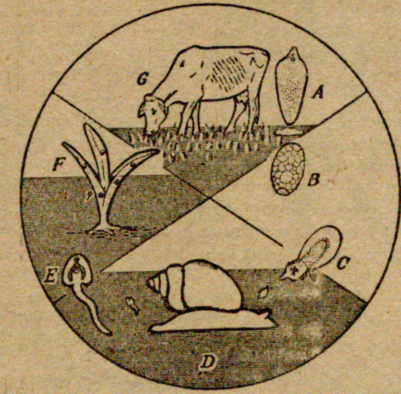


Cattle Liver Fluke Cause of Large Loss

Life Cycle of Public Enemy No. 1 Described

Liver fluke, those small, flat, leaf-like worms, are proving among the most injurious parasites of cattle in the United States.

Flukes produce serious diseases in man and animals in various parts of



Fluke Life Cycle

The adult fluke (A) in the liver produces many eggs which are expelled to the outside with the droppings. The egg (B) develops in wet places on the pasture and a free-swimming larva (C) issues from each normally developing egg. The larva is attracted to certain aquatic snails (D) which it penetrates. After development in the snail, a new type of larva with a tail (E) emerges and settles on grass (F) or other objects in water and encysts there. Cattle grazing on contaminated pastures (G) swallow the encysted larvae with forage and water.

the world, but fortunately the most harmful species do not occur in this country. In the United States the liver flukes commonly parasitize cattle, sheep and goats and may also occur from time to time in horses, swine and other animals.

The flukes can be destroyed effectively and economically with hexachloroethane, a synthetic drug. The drug should be prepared as an aqueous suspension and administered as a drench.

Save Tree Leaves for Planned Compost Pile

The experienced and practical farmer and gardener knows that leaves of shade and forest trees are a most abundant source of organic material, which he can use to grow better crops.

As soon as they are gathered they should be placed in piles, then packed down and watered. They are left in the piles to absorb moisture.

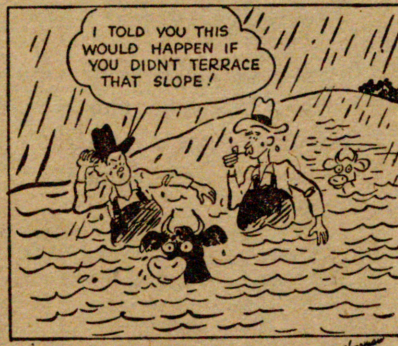
In late winter or early spring, the compost heap is built, scattering some lime and some high nitrogen complete fertilizer, such as 5-10-5 or 5-10-10, into the pile as it is built up. By late summer the leaves should be reasonably well rotted. The heap is then opened and the material put to use.

New in Machinery Freeze-Locker



Harderfreeze, a product of the Harder Refrigerator corporation, Cobleskill, N. Y., will provide a home freezing unit and locker plant.

Provided with five inches of insulation, hermetically sealed to eliminate infiltration of moisture, with rigidity of construction, the unit has been meeting with favor in rural districts.



Oil Extraction Rapid

The use of the Staley hexane extraction process for soybean oil has improved to such an extent that less than 1 per cent of the oil is left in the soybean meal, as compared with 4 per cent left by the expeller, or pressing method.

The hexane solvent method also results in production of soybean meal with 44 per cent or more protein content, 3 per cent more than when the oil is removed from the beans by the expeller method.



The Big City:

The iron coughing of trolleys as they rumble from corner to corner. . . . New York servicemen (just back from overseas) strolling along Bright Light Lane and warming their spirits over familiar sights. . . . The sunrise festival of vivid hues celebrating the birth of a new day. . . . Broadway's visual poetry punctuated by skyscraper exclamation points. . . . Hot-dog addicts gulping the delicacy as if it was the last h. d. on earth. . . . The numbing surgery of a comely waitress' sharp glare cutting off a Romeo's spiel. . . . Cabbies bullying their way through traffic. . . . A beany with a caviar tag: Rendezvous de Leon. . . . Film box-offices growing tails of waiting patrons blocks long. . . . Shadows scribbling grotesque murals across the street.

The furry waves of mink-coated first-nighters drowning a theater in luxury. . . . Side-street hotels bruised with age, where misery goes to find company. . . . Vain Stem thespians basking in the spotlight of their bragging tongues. . . . Weary night-workers squatting on the masses' throne—a subway seat. Their cob-webbed orbs peer at each other as if they weren't there. . . . The well-heeled set pulling themselves up by their own booties. . . . Salesgirls tucking the frayed edges of their patience under a smile and pinning it with a dimple. . . . The rainbow glint of jewelry on a Money Lisa. Her diamonds are campaign stars for bouboir battles. . . . A deep, blue-eyed noon sky twinkling with sunshine, scarcely noticed by lunch-hourites.

Morning stripping the Big Alley of its sparkling fig leaves, while the sun exposes its nude ugliness. . . . Shooting galleries recruiting customers by playing martial music. . . . Dusk prowling about the horizon as The Street puts on its maza apron and goes to work impressing passersby. . . . Professional mendicants who are skilled window-dressers of their sympathy display. . . . Five ayem, when Broadway's raucous roar subsides into a comforting purr. . . . The Saturday evening jubilee spree, when Neon Valley is packed to the brim with humanity attempting to smuggle a little amusement into their harried lives. . . . Midtown's paralytic traffic snailing its way forward. . . . Tin Pan Alley's jittery tempo striking up an overture for songwriters' insomnia.

Midtown Vignette: George Mann reports about the kindly gentleman on a park bench, who was breaking bread crumbs for the pigeons. One pigeon fluttered down on the old man's knee to peck at crumbs that had fallen there. . . . "Do you like these crumbs better than popcorn?" asked the kindly old fellow. . . . The pigeon cocked his head up at him and then resumed eating. "Well," continued the old man, "here it is nearly December. I suppose you birds will be leaving me soon for the Southland." . . . Again the pigeon looked up—said nothing and went on eating. . . . The old man got irritated and yelled: "Whatinell's the matter with you? Are you too good to talk to me?" . . . This time the pigeon didn't even look up but went on eating. . . . "How do you like that?" asked the old gentleman shaking his head. "A deaf and dumb pigeon!"

Sounds in the Night: In the Metropole: "Waiter, bring me a skirt and soda." . . . At Enduro: "She stays out until the woe hours of the morning." . . . At Armando's: "They've just been divorced. She got custody of his money." . . . At the Henry Hudson Terrace: "He's a hee-lua guy." . . . At Lum Fong's: "She used to be his heartache. Now she's just his earache." . . . In the Stork Club: "Mayor LaGuardia will be the first guy in show business, who knows enough about horses not to bet on them." . . . At the Cha-teaubriand: "Oh, well, here's mud in your mind."

Manhattan Murals: Placard in an E. 56th St. candy store window: "Welcome Home, Tony, You Phony!" . . . The 98c packages of Jap souvenir invasion money sold at newsstands in Penn depot. . . . Jimmy's Sawdust Trail where the cover charge is ten cents. . . . The "No Dogs Allowed" sign outside the Pea Circus on 42nd Street. . . . The tiny restaurant near Toots Shor's on W. 51st Street, which advertises: "Lunch 65c—Positively No Celebrities!" . . . One ad agency is so snooty it won't hire any office boy "below the rank of Lieut.-Colonel."

On Thanksgiving Eve, during that heavy rainstorm, cops recorded 41 fights on B'way. Most of them over who hailed the cab first. . . . Football betting with Broadway bookies this season totaled more than 12 million dollars in the Metropolitan area. . . . Cien Ryan, ex-secy to the mayor, is starting his own realty firm with nothing but millionaires for partners. . . . Eric Johnston's first official banning (since becoming movie boss) was Carole Landis singing a film ditty titled: "I've Got a Flame Too Hot to Handle."

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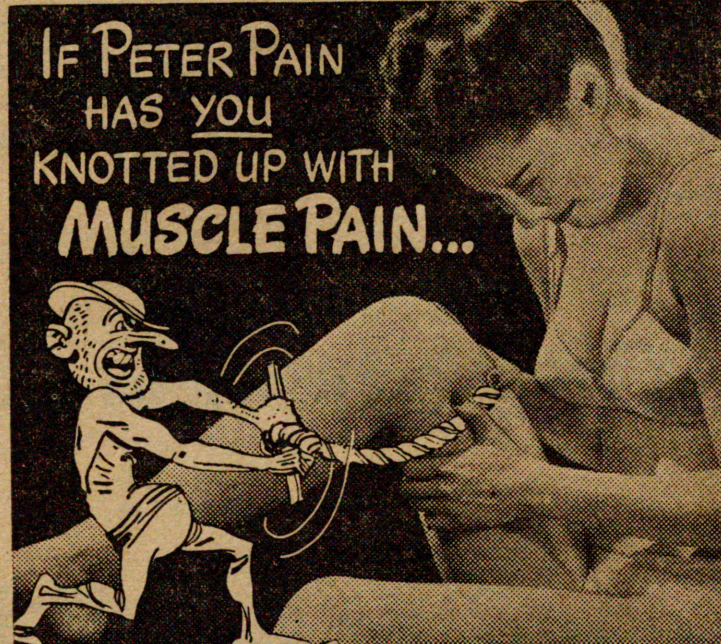
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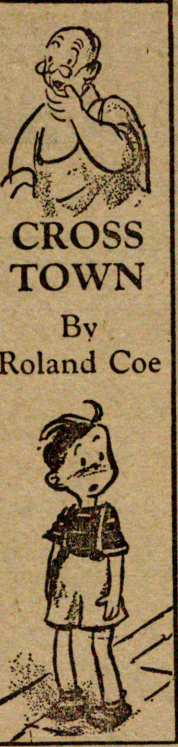
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She's been eighteen for three years that I remember—and I bet she's nearer sixteen!"

"... And this is the gym!"

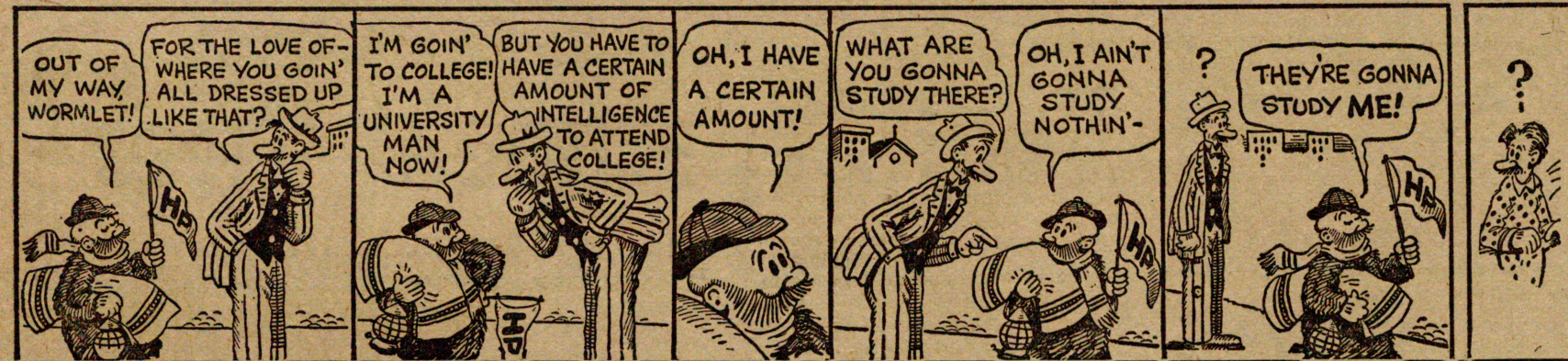
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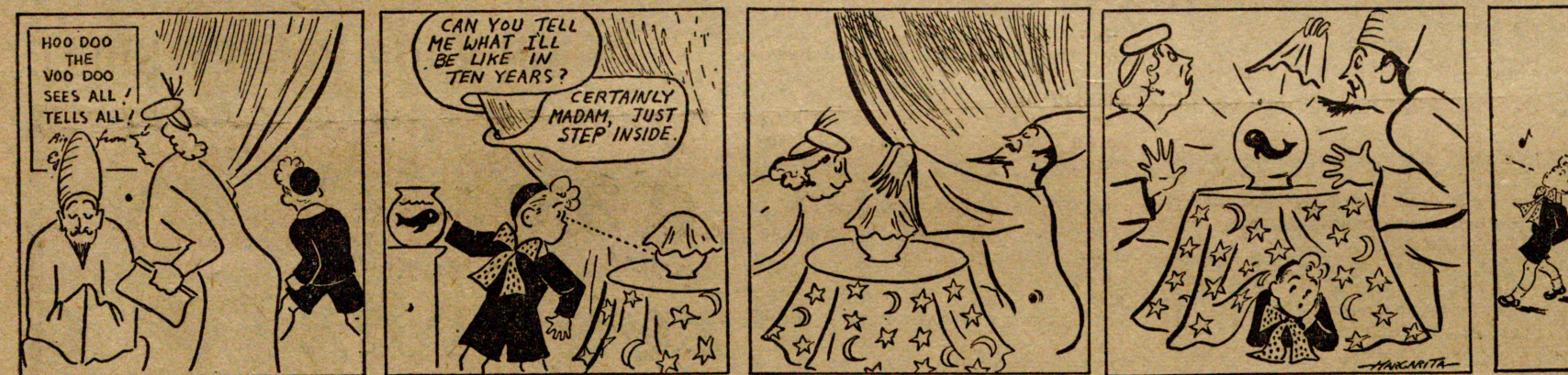
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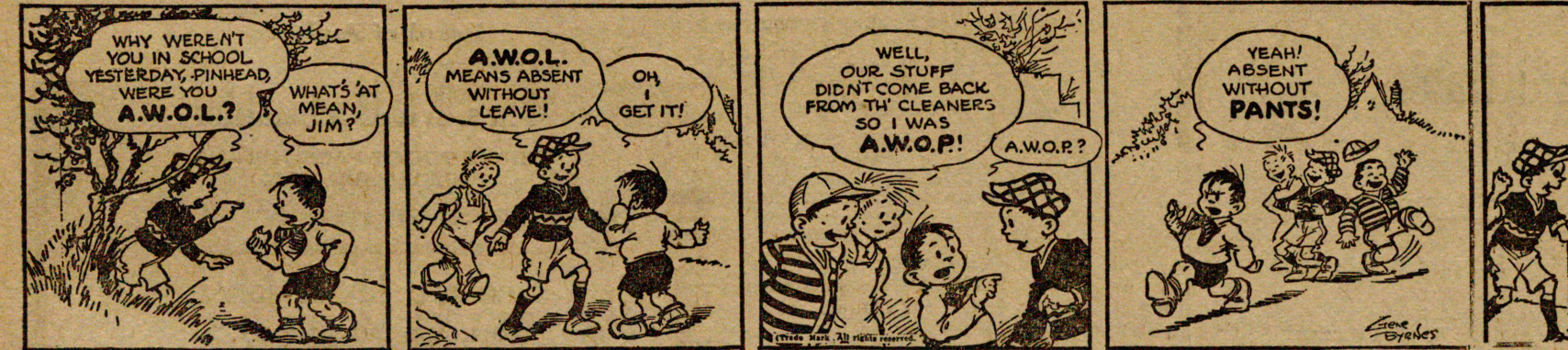
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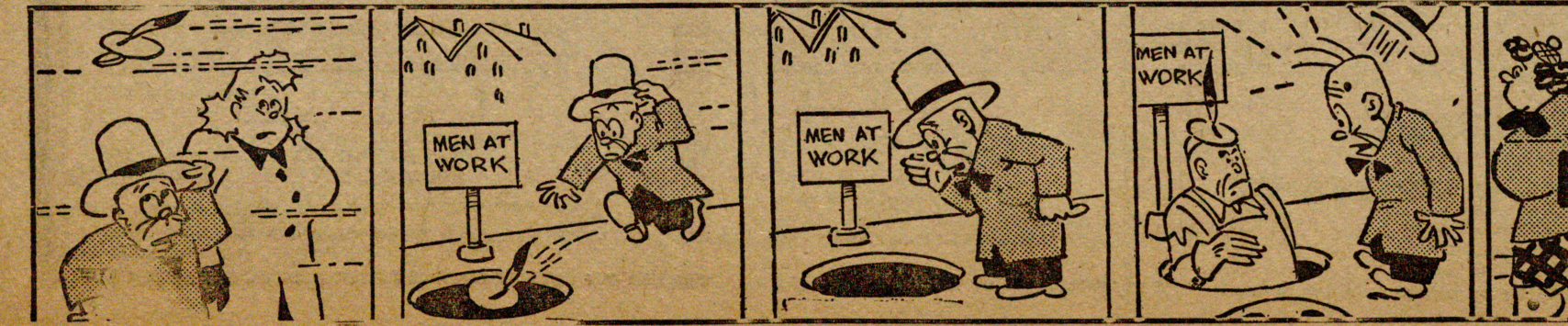
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SEWING CIRCLE PATTERNS

Broad Shouldered Junior Jumper All-Occasion Frock for Matrons



8930 11-18

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Frock for Mature Figure

A SIMPLE, well-mannered, all-occasion frock for the more mature figure. Shoulder gathering and waistline darts give fullness to the waist—the beautifully gored skirt is graceful and flattering.

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In a corner of the Brooklyn navy yard is an 18 by 30 foot building. Mounted on deep rubber columns, its walls are lined with thin layers of spun-glass fibers and other sound-resisting materials. Sensitive radio-communications equipment is scientifically measured there.

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Pete Parenti

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

Carl Bochstahler

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Santa Claus would never get down the chimney with our load of good wishes for a Merry Christmas to the people of this community, because he just couldn't squeeze through.

You've been mighty good to us and we appreciate it beyond words. We want you to enjoy Christmas this season of 1945 as never before.

Dini's Tavern

TINLEY PARK, ILL.



to one and all 1945 Christmas Cheer

Again may you know the fragrance
Of hemlock, pine and holly.
Again may friendly voices call
A greeting warm and jolly;
And again may the meaning of
Christmas,
Deep and still more true
Bring faith and hope and gladness
To the hearts of yours and you.

Cavett Drug Store

Tinley Park, Illinois



The long awaited occasion is here—CHRISTMAS—and with it the opportunity of renewing friendships. We cannot tell you how much these friendships have meant to us. We treasure them, every one.

Let us celebrate the Yuletide with rejoicing and good cheer. Let us celebrate it with a genuine thankfulness in our hearts for the blessings that have been ours to enjoy.

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Seasonal greetings and good wishes:

As the holiday season draws near, we pause to express to you our sincere wish that yours will be a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

We hope that your association with the Bremen State Bank during the past year has been as pleasant to you as it has been to us. Your preference for this bank is much appreciated, and we shall try to be worthy of it during 1946 and for many years to come.

Bremen State Bank

Tinley Park, Illinois



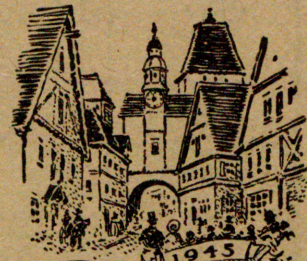
HOLY NIGHT - SILENT NIGHT

CHRISTMAS Greetings

AS THE LIGHT OF CHRISTMAS AGAIN BRIGHTENS OUR FACES AND LIGHTENS OUR HEARTS, WE TURN OUR THOUGHTS FROM OURSELVES TO HELP OTHERS. FOR THIS IS THE SPIRIT THAT FIRST SAW THE LIGHT OF DAY IN A STABLE AT BETHLEHEM, TWO THOUSAND YEARS AGO, AND WHICH HAS ENDURED EVER SINCE. MAY GOD BLESS AND PROTECT YOU AND YOUR DEAR ONES AND BRING HAPPINESS TO YOUR HOME THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON.

Bechstein's Garage

TINLEY PARK, ILLINOIS



Christmas Is The Time

for friendliness, for the open house and the open heart. It is the time, too, for us to greet our friends, to thank them for their consideration of us, and to wish them all a very HAPPY CHRISTMAS.

Vogt Department Store

Tinley Park, Illinois

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